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2009 SCHEDULE

Day	Date	Opponent	Location	Time
Sat.	Feb. 7	at Triton Invitational	San Diego, Calif.	All Day
Sun.	Feb. 8	at Triton Invitational	San Diego, Calif.	All Day
Sat.	**Feb. 14**	**PRINCETON**	**COLLEGE PARK, MD.**	**1:30 p.m.**
Sun.	**Feb. 15**	**BUCKNELL**	**COLLEGE PARK, MD.**	**6 p.m.**
Sat.	Feb. 21	vs. Brown	Princeton, N.J.	12:30 p.m.
		vs. Villanova		4:15 p.m.
Sun.	Feb. 22	vs. Wagner	Princeton, N.J.	Noon
		vs. Marist		4:15 p.m.
Thu.	Feb. 26	at George Washington*	Washington, D.C.	7:00 p.m.
Sat.	Feb. 28	at Elite Six Tournament	Lewisburg, Pa.	All Day
Sun.	Mar. 1	at Elite Six Tournament	Lewisburg, Pa.	All Day
Sat.	Mar. 14	at UC Davis	Davis, Calif.	2 p.m.
		at California	Berkeley, Calif.	7 p.m.
Sun.	Mar. 15	at Santa Clara	Santa Clara, Calif.	7 p.m.
Tue.	Mar. 17	at CSU Monterey Bay	Monterey, Calif.	TBA
		vs. Sonoma State		TBA
Sat.	Mar. 28	at Fluid 4	Bloomington, Ind.	TBA
Sun.	Mar. 29	at Fluid 4	Bloomington, Ind.	TBA
Wed.	**Apr. 1**	**GEORGE WASHINGTON***	**COLLEGE PARK, MD.**	**7 p.m.**
Sat.	Apr. 4	at Bucknell*	Lewisburg, Pa.	6 p.m.
Sun.	Apr. 5	at Princeton*	Princeton, N.J.	1 p.m.
Sat.	**Apr. 18**	**CWPA Southern Division Championship**	**COLLEGE PARK, MD.**	**All Day**
Fri.	Apr. 24	at CWPA Eastern Championship	Boston, Mass.	All Day
Sat.	Apr. 25	at CWPA Eastern Championship	Boston, Mass.	All Day
Sun.	Apr. 26	at CWPA Eastern Championship	Boston, Mass.	All Day
Fri.	**May 8**	**NCAA NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS**	**COLLEGE PARK, MD.**	**All Day**
Sat.	**May 9**	**NCAA NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS**	**COLLEGE PARK, MD.**	**All Day**
Sun.	**May 10**	**NCAA NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS**	**COLLEGE PARK, MD.**	**All Day**

** - indicates CWPA Southern Division opponents*
BOLD CAPS indicates home meets at Eppley Recreation Center Natatorium
All times Eastern

QUICK FACTS

GENERAL INFORMATION

Location:	College Park, Md.
Founded:	1856
Enrollment:	35,369
President:	C.D. Mote, Jr. (California '59)
Athletic Director:	Deborah A. Yow (Elon '74)
Nickname:	Terrapins, Terps
Colors:	Red, White, Black and Gold
Affiliation:	NCAA Division I
Conference:	Collegiate Water Polo Association Southern Division

FACILITY INFORMATION

Facility:	Eppley Recreation Center Natatorium
Capacity:	1,000

PROGRAM HISTORY

Program First Year:	2004
All-Time Record:	69-79
All-Time CWPA Southern Division Record:	12-22

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Alma Mater/Year:	Maryland '04
Career Record:	69-67
Record at Maryland:	Same
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2008 SEASON REVIEW

Overall Record:	22-16
CWPA Southern Division Record:	3-3, 3rd
CWPA Southern Div. Tournament:	3rd
CWPA Eastern Championships:	4th
Letterwinners Returning/Lost:	14/6

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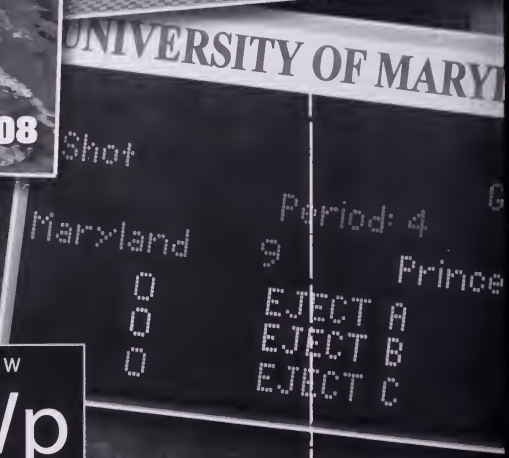

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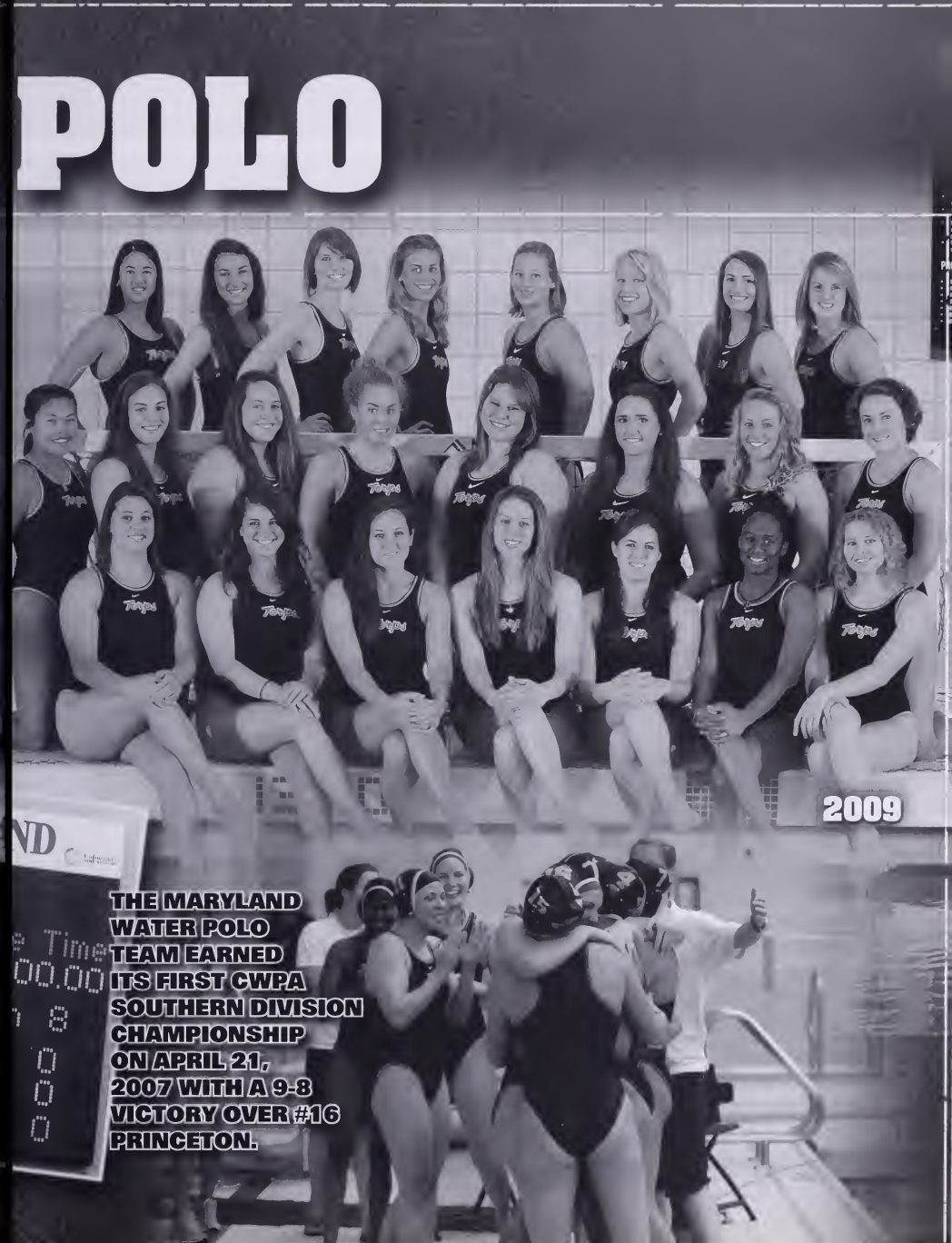

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THE MARYLAND WATER POLO TEAM EARNED ITS FIRST CWPA SOUTHERN DIVISION CHAMPIONSHIP ON APRIL 21, 2007 WITH A 9-8 VICTORY OVER #16 PRINCETON.

HEAD COACH CARL SALYER

FIFTH SEASON AT MARYLAND • MARYLAND '04

Carl Salyer, a former water polo player at UCLA and assistant coach at the Naval Academy, is in his fifth season as Maryland's head women's water polo coach.

Salyer, the second head coach in program history, has gradually improved the team since he took over in 2005.

The Terps are coming off a school record 22 wins and a program best fourth-place finish in the 2008 CWPA Eastern Championship. Maryland ended the year receiving votes in the final national poll and narrowly missed out on an NCAA bid.

In his first year, he turned around a Terrapin program that was winless in its inaugural season (2004), directing Maryland to a 12-19 mark.

During the 2006 season he led the Terps to the program's first winning record (19-14 overall). That season Maryland qualified for the CWPA Eastern Division Championship and placed seventh. The Terps record took a dip in 2007 to 16-18, due to a significantly upgraded schedule. Salyer's Terps won the CWPA Southern Division championship and finished sixth in the CWPA Eastern Championships.

The fruits of Salyer's labor paid dividends in 2008 as the Terps competed with and beat the top programs in the country. The Terrapins played Indiana three times, including posting a victory in the CWPA Eastern Championships. The Terps also took both CWPA Eastern Championship finalists, Michigan and Hartwick, to overtime during the regular season.

Salyer, a southern California native, came to Maryland after serving as an assistant coach at Navy since 1999. Salyer helped guide the Midshipmen to the 2000 and 2003 NCAA Final Four.

Prior to his time at Navy, Salyer spent five years working with the Naval Academy Aquatic Club. He guided the Navy AC 18 & Under women's team to the National Junior Olympic Championship in August of 2000 and coached the U.S. Men's National Youth "B" Team in the summer of 2002. He also guided the Navy AC to back-to-back championships at the Maui Invitational. His coaching experience on the club level has helped place many men and women in Division I programs.

As a player, Salyer competed at Golden West (Calif.) Community College for two seasons and at perennial national power UCLA for one. Salyer earned a degree in kinesiology from the University of Maryland in 2004.

MEGHAN SULLIVAN

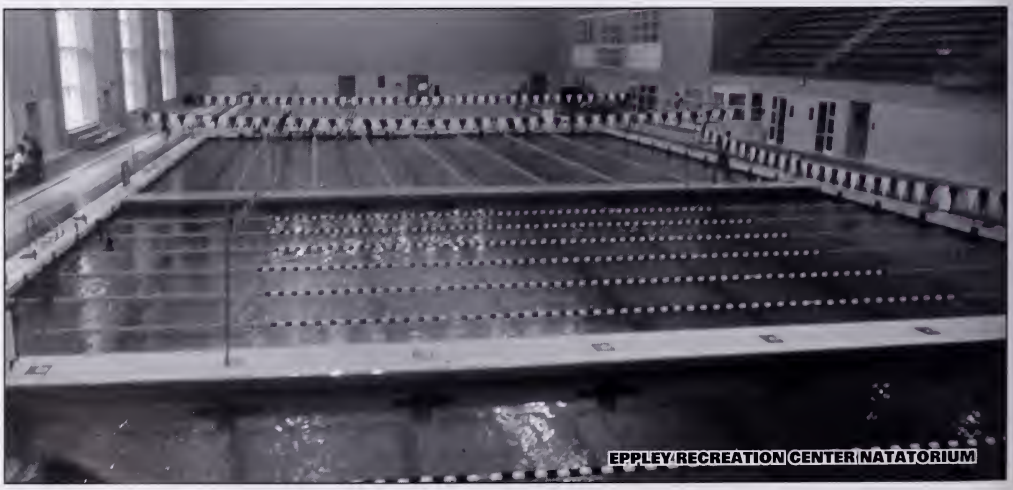
ASSISTANT COACH
THIRD SEASON AT MARYLAND
MARYLAND '04

Meghan Sullivan, a member of the Terps' first varsity women's water polo team in 2004, is in her third season as an assistant coach with Maryland. She is the program's first full-time assistant coach, aiding head coach Carl Salyer in all the day-to-day operations.

Sullivan (Graves during her playing days) played for the Terrapins from 2000-04, including the team's first (2004) at the varsity level.

For two seasons, she was a volunteer assistant coach at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, while working in other positions in fitness and aquatics.

She was the captain of the Maryland women's water polo team, as well as a member of the Student-Athlete Advisory Committee. Sullivan earned a bachelor's degree in kinesiology in May 2004, and was a member of the Dean's List and the All-ACC Academic Team.



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SEASON OUTLOOK

TERPS HOPE DEPTH, EXPERIENCE LEAD TO POSTSEASON RUN

Carl Salyer has lofty goals for the 2009 season. With the University of Maryland playing host to this year's NCAA Championship, Salyer wants his team to defend its pool.

There has never been a better opportunity. With 22 wins and a fourth-place finish at the CWPA Eastern Championships, last season was the best in Maryland's five-year history. The Terrapins return 14 players, including nine seniors, all seven starters, and the top six all-time scorers.

"This is where we've been aiming for the last four years," said Salyer, who is in his fifth year as head coach. "My first recruiting class is going to be seniors and they've gotten three solid years of Division I polo under their belt.

"Their leadership is just going to be stellar, most of them have started or played starter minutes for this team for three years. I'm looking for that experience both in and out of the pool."

While the seniors will be the focus of the team, Salyer is excited about the prospects of this year's freshmen and sophomores.

"We've got some really good additions to add to them over the last couple years, including this freshman class which had an great fall," Salyer said. "We've got a great inside-outside game. Working that bodes well not only for this year but for the future as well

"The sophomore class will benefit from playing a lot last year as freshmen, they can benefit from the senior class's leadership, and they're going to benefit from the freshmen class being so good and pushing them from underneath. I think those three things are really going to propel them to a new level.

The Terps should adapt to many styles of play.

"We're very mobile and we're very deep. We're going to attack in everything that we do, not only offensively but we're going to attack defensively and try to force the other team's hand."

Salyer understands that breaking into the ranks of the Eastern elite is no easy task, but the team has the ultimate motivation.

"It's a lofty goal because our conference is as competitive as ever. Indiana is always going to be good, Princeton is always going to be good, Hartwick is going to be good, Michigan is coming off a championship and is the favorite. We're right there, we're competitive, and we've got our eyes on the prize, the Eastern Championship. We want to play in the NCAA Championship in our own pool."

RACHEL JORDAN

BLAISE STANICIC

CHRISTEN VAGTS

CENTER

Senior **Rachel Jordan** had a record-breaking season for the Terps in 2008, setting Maryland single-season marks with 65 goals and 86 points. She scored efficiently, at a stunning .385 shooting percentage, and in the clutch.

"Rachel Jordan had some really big games last year" said Salyer. "At the times we absolutely needed someone to make a play, she seemed to be there."

Sophomore **Allison Beck** started at the other post position, where she put up 28 goals and drew 24 kickouts.

Also expected to push for time will be sophomore **Jessica Ernst** and freshman **Carly Hoshko**. Ernst was productive in limited action last season, scoring 13 goals on only 26 shots.

CENTER DEFENDER

The Terps have one of the premier defenders in the nation in **Christen Vagts**. She started in 34 of 38 games last season, posting 58 steals and winning the team's Defensive Player of the Year award.

Salyer thinks highly of Vagts, calling her "one of the best two-meter defenders certainly on the East Coast, if not in the country, and she'll help anchor our defense."

While freshman **Christine Goetsch** will have a larger role in the future, Salyer views this year as "an opportunity to work with Christen at the position."

ATTACK

Maryland returns a balanced attack that scores with deadly efficiency. Last season, eight players scored 20 or more goals and the Terps shot .370 as a team.

Senior co-captain **Blaise Stanicic** got the offense started last year, as she shattered the school's single-season record with 44 assists. **Elizabeth Hopkins** had personal bests with 54 steals and a .318 shooting percentage. Hopkins enters her final season as Maryland's career points leader.

The lone junior on the squad, **Shannon Simerly** had a team-best 62 steals and finished third with 49 goals. Senior **Bryndis Klein** chipped in with 20 goals with a record .455 shooting percentage. Co-captain **Laurel Laidlaw** will contribute her strong vision and experience at any position in the pool.

Senior **Jill Lau** and sophomore **Megan Powers** play with passion and provide the team a spark off the bench.

The Terps also added six new faces on attack and utility to bring youth and depth to the core of seniors. Freshmen **Callan Rowe** and **Elina Goldenberg** along with sophomore transfer **Colleen Shaw** all won All-America honors multiple times in high school.

Newcomers **Alex Gurnee**, **Christine Groetsch**, and **Sam Seikkula** will also compete for time in the water.

GOALKEEPER

Salyer has little concern between the pipes as **Ashleigh Jobson** emerged as one of the top goalkeepers in the region last season.

"Ashleigh Jobson was probably our most consistent performer on the team last season," Salyer said. "I would like to see her take that next step forward and solidify herself not only on the team, but as one of the best goalies on the East Coast. She anchors our defense and directs our offense."

Freshmen **Shelby Reyes** and **Leanne Spedding** will see time in reserve.

ROSTER INFORMATION

NUMERICAL ROSTER

No.	Name	Pos	Ht	Yr-Exp	Hometown / High School (Previous School)
1	Ashleigh Jobson	GK	5-8	Sr.-3V	Annapolis, Md. / Severn School
1A	Shelby Reyes	GK	5-5	Fr.-HS	Miami, Fla. / Gulliver Prepatory
1B	Leanne Spedding	GK	5-10	Fr.-HS	Blue Bell, Pa. / Wissahickon HS
2	Shannon Simerly	Utility	5-10	Jr.-2V	Miami, Fla. / Gulliver Prepatory
3	Stephanie Ragheb	C.Def.	5-10	So.-1V	Miami, Fla. / Miami Country Day School
4	Bryndis Klein	Attack	5-10	Sr.-2V	Newport Beach, Calif. / Newport Harbor HS
5	Christen Vagts	C.Def.	5-8	Sr.-3V	Crofton, Md. / South River HS
6	Rachel Jordan	Center	5-7	Sr.-3V	Fallbrook, Calif. / Fallbrook HS
7	Elizabeth Hopkins	Utility	5-9	Sr.-3V	Coronado, Calif. / Coronado HS
8	Jessica Ernst	Center	5-9	So.-1V	Yorba Linda, Calif. / Esperanza HS
9	Rosni Strudwick	Attack	5-6	Sr.-2V	St. Andrew, Jamaica / Campion (Jam.) Coll. (Montgomery CC)
10	Blaise Stanicic	Attack	5-10	Sr.-3V	Annapolis, Md. / The Key School
11	Allison Beck	Center	5-6	So.-1V	Mission Viejo, Calif. / Santa Margarita Catholic HS
13	Elina Goldenberg	Utility	5-7	Fr.-HS	Ft. Lauderdale, Fla. / St. Thomas Aquinas
15	Laurel Laidlaw	Attack	5-5	Sr.-3V	Newport Beach, Calif. / Newport Harbor HS
17	Jill Lau	Attack	5-5	Sr.-3V	Greenbelt, Md. / Eleanor Roosevelt HS
18	Alexandra Gurnee	Attack	5-6	Fr. HS	Newport Beach, Calif. / Mater Dei HS
19	Meghan Powers	Attack	5-7	So.-1V	Los Altos, Calif. / Los Altos HS
20	Colleen Shaw	Attack	5-8	So.-1C	Wilmette, Ill. / Loyola Academy (Marqutte University)
21	Callan Rowe	Utility	5-5	Fr.-HS	Carlisle, Pa. / Cumberland Valley HS
23	Samantha Seikkula	Attack	5-10	Fr. HS	San Diego, Calif. / Rancho Bernardo HS
24	Christine Goetsch	Utility	5-9	Fr.-HS	Santa Barbara, Calif. / San Marcus HS
25	Carly Hoshko	C.Def.	5-7	Fr.-HS	Coronado, Calif. / Coronado HS

ALPHABETICAL ROSTER

No.	Name	Pos	Ht	Yr-Exp	Hometown / High School (Previous School)
11	Allison Beck	Center	5-6	So.-1V	Mission Viejo, Calif. / Santa Margarita Catholic HS
8	Jessica Ernst	Center	5-9	So.-1V	Yorba Linda, Calif. / Esperanza HS
24	Christine Goetsch	Utility	5-9	Fr.-HS	Santa Barbara, Calif. / San Marcus HS
13	Elina Goldenberg	Utility	5-7	Fr.-HS	Ft. Lauderdale, Fla. / St. Thomas Aquinas
18	Alexandra Gurnee	Attack	5-6	Fr. HS	Newport Beach, Calif. / Mater Dei HS
7	Elizabeth Hopkins	Utility	5-9	Sr.-3V	Coronado, Calif. / Coronado HS
25	Carly Hoshko	C.Def.	5-7	Fr.-HS	Coronado, Calif. / Coronado HS
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9	Rosni Strudwick	Attack	5-6	Sr.-2V	St. Andrew, Jamaica / Campion (Jam.) Coll. (Montgomery CC)
5	Christen Vagts	C.Def.	5-8	Sr.-3V	Crofton, Md. / South River HS

Head Coach: Carl Salyer (Maryland '04), Fifth Season at Maryland
Assistant Coach: Meghan Sullivan (Maryland '04), Third Season at Maryland

SQUAD BREAKDOWN

TERPS BY CLASS

Seniors (9): Hopkins, Jobson, Jordan, Klein, Laidlaw, Lau, Stanicic, Strudwick, Vagts
Juniors (1): Simerly
Sophomores (5): Beck, Ernst, Powers, Ragheb, Shaw
Freshmen (8): Goetsch, Goldenberg, Gurnee, Hoshko, Reyes, Rowe, Seikkula, Spedding

TERPS BY STATE

Maryland (4): Jobson, Lau, Stanicic, Vagts
California (11): Beck, Ernst, Goetsch, Gurnee, Hopkins, Hoshko, Jordan, Klein, Laidlaw, Powers, Seikkula
Florida (4): Goldenberg, Ragheb, Reyes, Simerly
Pennsylvania (2): Rowe, Spedding
Illinois (1): Shaw
International (1): Strudwick (Jamaica)

TERPS BY POSITION

Goalie (3): Jobson, Reyes, Spedding
Attack (9): Gurnee, Klein, Laidlaw, Lau, Powers, Seikkula, Shaw, Stanicic, Strudwick
Center (3): Beck, Ernst, Jordan
Center Defender (3): Hosko, Ragheb, Vagts
Utility (5): Goetsch, Goldenberg, Hopkins, Rowe, Simerly

PRONUNCIATION GUIDE

Bryndis Klein: brin-DEES
Jill Lau: LOW
Blaise Stanicic: STAN-ich-ich
Christen Vagts: VAHTS

TERRAPIN PROFILES

ALLISON BECK 11

Sophomore • Center
Mission Viejo, Calif.
Santa Margarita Catholic HS

Salyer On Beck: "Ally has proven herself as a true offensive threat. She is a relentless worker who will continue to add a strong scoring presence, both inside and outside of center."

As a Freshman (2008): Started 34 games in 37 appearances, the most of any freshman... finished seventh on team in scoring with 28 goals and 44 points... drew 24 kickouts, which was fifth highest on the team... finished with a .359 shooting percentage, ninth on the Maryland all-time single-season list... had a stretch of nine straight games with at least one goal... scored seven goals in one day against Hartwick and Brown (3/2)... recorded a point in 30 games, including a stretch of 22 straight games.

Before Maryland: Competed for both her high school and club teams... 2006 club team placed third at the Junior Olympics... high school squad finished fourth in the 2007 California Masters Tournament ... also swam for Santa Margarita and was named the league's swimmer of the year.

Personal: Parents are Greg and Jennifer Beck... has two sisters, Mallory (20) and Mackenzie (14), and one brother, Jonathan (13)... enjoys skiing and scrapbooking in her free time... has been a girl scout for 14 years ... planning to major in elementary education.

BECK'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	GP/GS	G	A	Pts.	Sh.	Sh.Pct.	Stls	KO	KOD	TO
2008	37/34	28	16	44	78	.359	18	20	24	42

JESSICA ERNST 8

Sophomore • Center
Yorba Linda, Calif.
Esperanza HS

Salyer On Ernst: "Jess has colossal strength and knows how to use it to her advantage. She can and will wreak havoc at two meters at both ends of the pool."

As a Freshman (2008): Saw action in 29 games... ranked third among freshmen with 13 goals on only 26 shots, good for second on the team in shooting percentage (.500)... scored a season-high four goals in ax start against Villanova (2/23).

Before Maryland: Played for Esperanza High School from 2004-06... second team All-East Water Polo League in 2006, and an honorable-mention selection in 2004 and 2005... also competed as a swimmer in 2007, and earned All-America honors ... took home the Aztec Award in 2005 and Offensive Player of the Year honors in 2006... given Coaches Award in both sports (water polo in 2004 and swimming 2007)... as a swimmer, won the 100-yard breaststroke in the league championship... also placed second in the 200 medley relay and the 400 freestyle relay... coached by Galen Diaz and Matt Slevcove.

Personal: Parents are Karen and David Ernst... made the principal's honor roll all four years in high school... majoring in mechanical and civil engineering.

ERNST'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	GP/GS	G	A	Pts.	Sh.	Sh.Pct.	Stls	KO	KOD	TO
2008	29/1	13	4	17	26	.500	5	9	4	11

CHRISTINE GOETSCH 24

Freshman • Utility
Santa Barbara, Calif.
San Marcus HS

Salyer On Goetsch: "Christine adds depth to the center defender position. She has a level of experience that we expect will pay huge dividends at the Division I level. Christine is expected to compete for key minutes this season and give us a lot of options in our defensive style of play."

Before Maryland: Four-year starter for her high school water polo and swimming teams... rookie of the year for the water polo and swimming squads in 2005... best defensive player, as well as a second team all-league choice, in both 2006 and 2007... her club team, Santa Barbara Water Polo Club, won the National Junior Olympics in 2007 and placed third in 2008... team MVP, first team all-league and third team All-California Interscholastic Federation in 2008.

Personal: Parents are Mike and Carlene Groetsch... has one sister, Nicole (21), who attends Vanderbilt University... elected vice president of the student body as a senior in high school... majoring in early childhood development and wants to be a kindergarden teacher after college.

ELINA GOLDENBERG 13

Freshman • Utility
Ft. Lauderdale, Fla.
St. Thomas Aquinas

Salyer On Goldenberg: "Elina is a very creative player who will not only add a big scoring punch to the team, but also a tremendous winning attitude. She is expected to be a significant player for the team this year with game-changing play on both the offense and defense."

Before Maryland: A first team All-American as a freshman, sophomore, and junior... four-time team most valuable player and first team all-county selection by the *Sun Sentinel* and *Miami Herald* from 2005 to 2008... 2008 BCAA Scholar Athlete and FHSAA Scholar Athlete... played on the South Florida Water Polo Club from 2001 to 2008... made the USA National Youth Team four times.

Personal: Parents are Michael and Irina Goldenberg... born in Moscow, Russia... made the Principal's Honor Roll all four years of high school... recruited by USC, Stanford, and Princeton among others... wants to be a corporate lawyer after graduation.

ALEXANDRA GURNEE 18

Freshman • Attack
Newport Beach, Calif.
Mater Dei HS

Salyer On Gurnee: "Alex's solid scoring ability will be key to the team. She has an ability to find the open water and score goals at any time. Alex demonstrates strong determination in both practice and competition."

Before Maryland: Won team MVP honors in her junior and senior seasons... named team captain in 2008... played for water polo club team Irvine Kahua for five seasons, which placed eighth at the Junior Olympics in 2007.

ELIZABETH HOPKINS 7

Senior • Utility
Coronado, Calif.
Coronado HS

Salyer On Hopkins: "Elizabeth is one of the most focused players on the team. She has the ability to consistently create and execute game-defining plays. Elizabeth continues to take her game to the next level and we expect her to finish strong in her senior year."

Career: The Terps' all-time leader in points (205) and shots (530)... ranks second in career goals (150) and assists (55).

As a Junior (2008): A first-team All-CWPA Southern Division selection... ranked second on the team in goals (56) and third in points (75)... goal and point totals each rank fourth on the Maryland all-time single-season list... also had the third most shots (176) in school history... had seven hat tricks, including four-goal outings vs. the Redlands and Michigan... scored a goal in 31 of her 37 games... was third on the team in steals with 54... led the team in scoring eight times and had seven hat tricks, with four-goal efforts against Redlands (2/10) and Michigan (4/12)... had a season-high five points vs. the Redlands.

As a Sophomore (2007): Led the team in scoring with 70 points on 57 goals and 13 assists... had a school-record 195 shots... led or tied for team-lead in scoring in 15 different games... had four-goal outings against George Washington in CWPA South home match and at Cal St. Monterey Bay, both Terp victories... had at least one goal in 27 of Maryland's 34 matches as a sophomore, scoring at least two goals 17 times... led team with 50 kickouts drawn.

As a Freshman (2006): Played in all 33 games and started all but one... scored 37 goals and dished out a team-high 23 assists... took 159 shots for a .233 shooting percentage... also second on the team with 43 steals.

Before Maryland: Member of the tennis, swimming and water polo teams at Coronado High School... named to the Southern California All-Tournament water polo team in 2002-2003... awarded the CIF Sportsmanship award in 2004... elected captain of all three teams.

Personal: Parents are Phil and Paulette Hopkins... father played soccer and mother played volleyball in college... has two brothers, Jonathan, who played water polo at UC San Diego, and Thomas, who played water polo at Stanford... born in Honolulu, Hawaii... lists winning the CIF Championships as her biggest athletic thrill... admires her brothers because of their accomplishments and personalities... majoring in psychology.

HOPKINS' CAREER STATISTICS

Year	GP/GS	G	A	Pts.	Sh.	Sh.Pct.	Stls	KO	KOD	TO
2006	33/32	37	23	60	159	.233	43	17	22	28
2007	34/34	57	13	70	195	.292	26	26	50	34
2008	37/35	56	19	75	176	.318	54	37	21	37
Totals	**104/101**	**150**	**55**	**205**	**530**	**.283**	**123**	**80**	**93**	**99**

CARLY HOSHKO 25

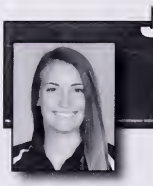
Freshman • Center Defender
Coronado, Calif.
Coronado HS

Salyer On Hoshko: "Carly is expected to contribute quickly as a center defender that will be able to counter fast and score from both the outside and post position. Carly's experience with the powerful Coronado High School and club programs will be an added bonus."

Before Maryland: Played all four years at Coronado HS, including on its 2008 California Interscholastic Federation Championship team... earned team's defensive MVP award as a junior... played for 10 years on the Coronado Aquatics Club... swam the 50 and 100 freestyle and in the 200 medley and 400 freestyle relays as a sophomore and junior... won the Coaches' Award for swimming in 2007.

Personal: Parents are Michel Hoshko and Margaret Lind... won Islander Achievement Awards in math, history, science, and overall in her sophomore, junior, and senior years of high school... has played the piano for eight years... volunteered at the Ronald McDonald House.

ASHLEIGH JOBSON 1



Senior • Goalie
Annapolis, Md.
Severn School

Salyer On Jobson: "Ashleigh is a strong athlete who commands respect in front of her. She confidently leads the team defense and gets them countering strong into offense. Ashleigh has the ability to make consistent blocks no matter the situation."

Career: Ranks second in school in history in blocks (543) and block percentage (.502).

As a Junior (2008): Started 31 of 33 games in goal... set the Terrapin single-season record for blocks (286)... posted an impressive .521 block percentage, which ranks third on the Maryland single-season list... had 10 games with double-digit blocks, including career-best 17-block contests against Hartwick twice, once at home on 3/2 and again in the CWPA Eastern Championship semifinals.

As a Sophomore (2007): Played in a team-high 28 games with 11 starts... her 107 blocks in 2007 rank fifth on the Maryland single-season list... had seven games with at least five blocks, led by 10-block efforts on 3/18 against both San Jose State and UC Santa Cruz... finished with 38 blocks in five games on a Northern California road swing in March.

As a Freshman (2006): Started eight games and earned playing time in 25... blocked 86 shots while allowing 93 goals scored, for a .480 blocking percentage... also tallied 25 steals and three assists.

Before Maryland: Four-year letterwinner at the Severn School in swimming... member of the Naval Academy Water Polo Club... named to the Northeast Zone Team from 2002-05 and the Youth National B Team in 2004.

Personal: Parents are Gary and Janice Jobson... has two sisters, Brooke, her twin, and Kristi (24)... member of the National Honor Society... chose Maryland because she loves Terrapin traditions... her nickname is Cookie Jarvis... double majoring in psychology and family science... plans to attend graduate school to become a marriage counselor.

JOBSON'S GOALKEEPING STATISTICS

Year	GP/GS	Goals	Blocks	Blk Pct.	Blk/G	Steals
2006	25/8	93	86	.480	3.4	25
2007	28/11	120	107	.471	3.8	8
2008	33/31	263	286	.521	8.7	36
Totals	**86/50**	**476**	**479**	**.502**	**5.6**	**69**

RACHEL JORDAN 6

Senior • Center
Fallbrook, Calif.
Fallbrook HS

Salyer On Jordan: "Rachel is a major threat to any opponent. She provides a significant scoring presence from the center position, yet has the ability to surprise teams with her knack for scoring from the outside. Rachel is a playmaker at both ends of the pool."

Career: Ranks tied for second in school history in points (192), first in goals (157), sixth in assists (35) and second in shots (514).

As a Junior (2008): Had the best season of any Terrapin attacker, setting single-season records for points (86) and goals (65) with the fourth-best shooting percentage (.385)... scored 19 more goals than 2007 while taking only 13 more shots... led or tied for the team lead in goals in 14 games, including a five-goal effort against Harvard (2/17) and a career-best six-goal performance against Wagner (2/24) ... had a season-high eight points vs. Wagner.

As a Sophomore (2007): Finished with 46 goals, third on team... third on the team with 156 shots... her strong inside presence drew 45 kickouts and she was called for only 20... led or tied for team lead in goals in four games... her season-best five goals in win at Pacific tied for the most by a Terrapin in any game on the year... other hat tricks came against Princeton (2/10) and Wagner (2/24).

As a Freshman (2006): Scored a team-high 46 goals in 32 games... earned 29 starts... shooting percentage was 24.3 percent... registered 11 assists and 21 steals.

Before Maryland: Four-time letterwinner in water polo and swimming at Coronado High and Fallbrook High... named captain her junior and senior years... named first team All-Avocado League, first team All-CIF and All-North County.

Personal: Parents are Eileen and Joe Vido... has two sisters, Genevieve (23) and Rebecca (21)... won the Drama Award and Warrior Head Award ... admires Stanford water polo player, Katie Hansen, because of her determination and perseverance... chose Maryland because of the coaching staff and campus ... majoring in english and french.

JORDAN'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	GP/GS	G	A	Pts.	Sh.	Sh.Pct.	Stls	KO	KOD	TO
2006	32/29	46	11	57	189	.243	21	23	22	48
2007	34/34	46	3	49	156	.295	17	20	45	31
2008	37/35	65	21	86	169	.385	34	31	38	40
Totals	**103/98**	**157**	**35**	**192**	**514**	**.305**	**72**	**74**	**105**	**119**

BRYNDIS KLEIN 4

Senior • Attack
Newport Beach, Calif.
Newport Harbor HS

Salyer On Klein: "Bryndis is a very intelligent player who knows how to use her assets to create chaos for the other team. Her speed and mobility frequently enable her to make key steals and score key goals."

Career: Ranks tied for sixth in school history in points (111), tied for third assists (45) and sixth in goals (66).

As a Junior (2008): The only Terrapin to play in all 38 games... her personal-best 21 assists rank tied for fourth on the Maryland single-season chart... had the best single-season shooting percentage in school history (.455) with 20 of her 44 shots finding the back of the net... scored two goals in four games and had two three-assist games vs. Villanova (2/23) and vs. Claremont-Mudd-Scripps College (3/16)... had a season-best four points vs. Villanova and CMS.

As a Sophomore (2007): Had 20 starts among her 34 appearances... finished fifth on team in scoring with 37 points and tied for second with 13 assists... had a career-high 24 goals on only 74 shots for strong .324 shooting percentage... recorded a four-goal game to lead Terps past Wagner, 11-9 (2/24)... had at least one goal in 14 different games... had three two-goal outings, tying for team-high honors with two in win vs. Villanova.

As a Freshman (2006): Played in all 33 games with one start... scored 22 goals... accumulated 11 assists and 24 steals.

Before Maryland: Lettered in swimming and water polo at Newport Harbor High School... member of the 2005 Sea View League water polo champions and 2005 CIF runner-ups.

Personal: Parents are Barry and Ruth Klein... has a brother, Erickson (13)... is a Newport Beach Ocean lifeguard... majoring in government and politics.

KLEIN'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	GP/GS	G	A	Pts.	Sh.	Sh.Pct.	Stls	KO	KOD	TO
2006	33/1	22	11	33	71	.310	24	8	4	23
2007	34/20	24	13	37	74	.324	34	19	6	13
2008	38/1	20	21	41	44	.455	37	15	8	19
Totals	**105/22**	**66**	**45**	**111**	**189**	**.349**	**95**	**42**	**18**	**55**

LAUREL LAIDLAW 15

Senior • Attack
Newport Beach, Calif.
Newport Harbor HS
CO-CAPTAIN

Salyer On Laidlaw: "Laurel is the kind of player who makes the rest of the team better. Her leadership and work ethic motivate and drive this team. Laurel will be a key player this year because she is such a solid player at both ends of the pool."

As a Junior (2008): Set personal-bests in goals (12) and assists (12) despite playing in fewer games (25) and taking fewer shots (28) than in 2007... scored two goals on three occasions, including against Long Beach (3/18)... tallied four points (1G, 3A) in an overtime loss to Hartwick (3/2), scoring a goal on her only shot.

As a Sophomore (2007): Started 15 games and saw action in all 34... finished with 10 points on eight goals and two assists... had one goal each in eight games... had a three-game scoring steak early in the season vs. Cal St. Bakersfield, Redlands, and Indiana.

As a Freshman (2006): Started 10 games and saw action in all 33... scored six goals, registered seven assists and 27 steals.

Before Maryland: Member of the 2004 CIF Championship Team and 2005 Sea View League Championship Teams... won the Coaches Award in 2005... named second team All-League in 2005.

Personal: Parents are Scott and Cheryl Laidlaw... has three brothers, Morgan (20), Will (10) and Andrew (8)... majoring in international business.

LAIDLAW'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	GP/GS	G	A	Pts.	Sh.	Sh.Pct.	Stls	KO	KOD	TO
2006	33/10	6	7	13	35	.171	32	18	6	15
2007	34/15	8	2	10	42	.190	19	21	2	22
2008	25/2	12	12	24	28	.429	13	14	2	10
Totals	**92/27**	**26**	**21**	**47**	**105**	**.248**	**64**	**53**	**10**	**47**

JILL LAU 17

Senior • Attack
Greenbelt, Md.
Eleanor Roosevelt HS

Salyer On Lau: "Jill has an amazing ability to just play the game. Her passion to play is a powerful part of her game. Jill continually works hard at expanding her game as she challenges her teammates to do the same."

As a Junior (2008): Played in 23 games, starting one... scored seven goals on only 14 shots... set career bests in goals, assists (5), points (12), shots, and steals (9)... scored two goals in a win against George Washington (4/9)... earned Most Improved Player accolades from her teammates at the team's annual banquet.

As a Sophomore (2007): Played in 31 matches, recording five points on three goals and two assists... three goals came on only 11 shots (.273 shooting percentage)... had one goal each in three different matches.

As a Freshman (2006): Registered two goals and one assist in 20 games ... earned one start... also tallied six steals.

Before Maryland: Member of the soccer and swim teams at Roosevelt... captain of the swim team ... named second team *All-Gazette*... member of the National Honor Society.

Personal: Parents are Clement Lau and June Teo… has one brother, Joseph (19)… served as the head coach of the Greenbelt Municipal Swim Team, which won the division championship in 2006 and 2007... is certified to scuba dive... admires Aaron Piersol for his determination and accomplishments... majoring in biology and wants to pursue marine biology and conservation after college.

LAU'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	GP/GS	G	A	Pts.	Sh.	Sh.Pct.	Stls	KO	KOD	TO
2006	20/1	2	1	3	6	.333	6	5	2	3
2007	31/0	3	2	5	11	.273	7	7	6	9
2008	23/1	7	5	12	14	.500	9	6	5	4
Totals	74/2	12	8	20	31	.387	22	18	13	16

MEGHAN POWERS 19

Sophomore • Attack
Los Altos, Calif.
Los Altos HS

Salyer On Powers: "Meghan has an exorbitant amount of energy. She uses her energy to pump up her teammates and then uses it to her advantage as she executes quick drives and counters hard."

As a Freshman (2008): Netted five goals and dished out seven assists in 34 games... had 13 steals with only eight turnovers... had career performances vs. Villanova, scoring two goals against them twice (2/16 and 2/23).

Before Maryland: Played three years at Los Altos High School for coach Travis Wyckof… a first team NorCal Conference pick her junior and senior seasons… also named team captain and most inspirational athlete in both of her final two years.

Personal: Parents are Kate and Tim Powers... father played football and lacrosse at UMass-Lowell… has two brothers Jake (16) and Mike (13), and one sister, Kristen (21), who plays water polo at Marist College… member of the National Honor Society… enjoys star gazing in her spare time… enjoys the adrenaline rush and feeling of team camaraderie that she gets from playing water polo… majoring in communication.

POWERS' CAREER STATISTICS

Year	GP/GS	G	A	Pts.	Sh.	Sh.Pct.	Stls	KO	KOD	TO
2008	34/0	5	7	12	41	122	13	11	7	8

STEPHANIE RAGHEB 3

Sophomore • Center Defender
Miami, Fla.
Miami Country Day School

Salyer On Ragheb: "Stephanie will continue to add depth to the team as she continues to develop. Stephanie constantly demonstrates an amazing work ethic and is always determined to impact all areas of the game."

As a Freshman (2008): Played in 13 games, starting one... tallied eight points on three goals and five assists... put up three points (1G, 2A) against Villanova on 2/23.

Before Maryland: Played two years at Miami Country Day School and earned team MVP honors in 2006… won the coaches award her senior season (2007)… competed her freshman and sophomore seasons on the swimming team and was named MVP both years… also played one year of soccer in 2006 and won the coaches award.

Personal: Parents are John and Kathy Ragheb… has two brothers, Michael (18) and William (13)… grandfather played lacrosse at Maryland, where he was a two-time All-American and inducted into the school's Hall of Fame... volunteered at the Miami Children's Hospital and the Miami Children's Museum… traveled to Haiti on a medical mission … given the Miami Shores Chamber of Commerce Award… majors in kinesiology and plans to attend medical school.

RAGHEB'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	GP/GS	G	A	Pts.	Sh.	Sh.Pct.	Stls	KO	KOD	TO
2008	13/1	3	5	8	16	.188	3	4	0	3

SHELBY REYES 1A

Freshman • Attack
Miami, Fla.
Gulliver Prepatory

Salyer On Reyes: "Shelby will add depth at the goal-keeping position and is expected to challenge for quality minutes in the goal as a freshman. Shelby will bring a tremendous winning tradition and attitude to the team as a member of the undefeated, four time state championship Gulliver Prep High School team."

Before Maryland: Made the *Miami Herald*'s All-Dade First Team in 2007 and 2008, winning Player of the Year Award in her senior year... played five years for the Florida Coast Water Polo Club team.

Personal: Parents are Jaime and Lisa Reyes… has an older brother, Jimmy Stones (33)… worked at Baptist Buddies Day Care Center... recruited by Michigan, Bucknell, and George Washington, among others... majors in psychology and wants to be a guidance counselor.

CALLAN ROWE 21

Freshman • Utility
Carlisle, Pa.
Cumberland Valley HS

Salyer On Rowe: "Callan will add depth to the team and compete for significant minutes. She has a tremendous amount of energy and I expect her to be a vital part of our counter attack with the ability to finish with strong scoring and a very strong defensive presence."

Before Maryland: Won Pennsylvania Rookie of the Year as a freshman in 2004... made first team all-state and was a first team All-American in 2006 and 2007... led her team to the state championship and was Player of the Year runner-up as a senior.

Personal: Parents are William and Christa Rowe… father played football at Delaware... older sister Aubrey plays water polo at Bucknell… quickly earned nickname the "energizer bunny"... played six years of club water polo for Navy AC.

SAMANTHA SEIKKULA 23

Freshman • Attack
San Diego, Calif.
Rancho Bernardo HS

Salyer On Seikkula: "Samantha is an intelligent and very athletic player who will add depth to the team. We rely on her dynamic skills to help her impact play at both ends of the pool. Sam is very coachable, so we expect her to develop remarkably."

Before Maryland: Played driver for Rancho Bernardo High School, where she won three letters for water polo... made the All-Palomar League Team in 2008... served as team captain and won the team's Sportsmanship award as a senior... competed on the Bronco Water Polo club team for five years... also lettered in swimming in 2006 and 2007.

Personal: Parents are Luke and Sharon Seikkula... has two brothers, Matt and Brian... made the Silver Star Honor Roll and was a four-time Union Tribute Scholar Athlete... class council member all four years of high school, serving as class vice president her junior year... volunteered at the San Diego Museum of Art, majors in art history, and wants to be a museum curator.

COLLEEN SHAW 20

Sophomore • Attack
Wilmette, Ill.
Loyola Academy

Salyer On Shaw: "Colleen's mobility and strong arm will add to our team offense. She constantly finds ways to put the ball in the back of the goal. Her quick drives and scoring ability will keep opponents on their heels."

As a Freshman (2008): Saw action in 16 games, including one start... had 11 goals, including a career-best four vs. Villanova (2/23)... also had a career-high five points vs. the Wildcats...had an impressive .688 shooting percentage on the season.

Before Maryland: Transferred after one semester at Marquette University, where she played on the club water polo team... led Loyola Academy to three sectional championships from 2005 to 2007... made the all-sectional first team three times, all-state first team twice, and a two-time All-America selection... played on the school basketball and swimming teams.

Personal: Parents are Charlie and Roberta Shaw... has a 17-year-old brother Charlie... enjoys running, being outside, and working out in her free time... enrolled in Letters and Sciences, and is interested in real estate development and nutrition science.

SHAW'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	GP/GS	G	A	Pts.	Sh.	Sh.Pct.	Stls	KO	KOD	TO
2008	16/1	11	4	15	16	688	3	4	0	7

SHANNON SIMERLY 2

Junior • Utility
Miami, Fla.
Gulliver Prep

Salyer On Simerly: "Shannon is constantly an offensive threat, with her powerful outside shots and her creative movement in the front-court. Shannon's character and passion for playing the game enhance the level of play on this team."

Career: Ranks fourth in school history in points (107), fourth in goals (121), fourth in shots (276) and second in shooting percentage (.388).

As a Sophomore (2008): Played in 37 games, including 35 starts... had a career-high shooting percentage (.415) and improved defense, leading the team with 62 steals... ranked third on the team in goals (49) and fourth in points (57)... found the back of the net in 25 of her 37 games, leading the team in eight of them... recorded four four-goal games, including the CWPA Eastern Championship quarterfinal victory over Indiana... had a season-best five points vs. the Redlands (2/10).

As a Freshman (2007): Led the Terps with a then school record 58 goals (now second all-time)... posted a .367 shooting percentage and 64 points (second on the team)... finished with 34 steals and only 23 turnovers... led or tied for the team lead in nine matches... her career-high five goals in a 15-8 win over Sonoma State (3/24) matched Rachel Jordan for the most on the team... also had team-high five goals in win over Bucknell in CWPA South Division Tournament semifinal... missed scoring in only four games during the season... added four-goal performances twice against Princeton (2/10 and 4/21)... had 14 multiple-goal games.

Before Maryland: Played center defender for Gulliver Preparatory School in Miami, Fla... team won state championship every year from 2001-2005... scored 60 goals and tallied 48 steals and 25 assists in 2005... named first team All-Dade in 2004... voted "Best Defense" by high school teammates in 2004... in 2000 named "Future MVP"... also swam for Gulliver from 2001-2005... competed in the butterfly, freestyle, and individual medley... swim team was state runner-up in 2003.

Personal: Parents are Marion and Julian... names water polo player Tony Azavedo and basketball player Dwyane Wade as her favorite athletes... member of the National Honor Society, Scores for Sudan, and Junior Orange Bowl Committee in high school... received the "Outstanding Community Service Award"... plays the violin and the piano... sorority sister in Phi Sigma Sigma... majors in art and wants to be an interior designer.

SIMERLY'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	GP/GS	G	A	Pts.	Sh.	Sh.Pct.	Stls	KO	KOD	TO
2007	34/34	58	6	64	158	.367	34	39	10	23
2008	37/35	49	8	57	118	.415	62	32	22	36
Totals	**71/69**	**107**	**14**	**121**	**276**	**.388**	**96**	**71**	**32**	**59**

LEANNE SPEDDING 1B

Freshman • Goalie
Blue Bell, Pa.
Wissahickon HS

Salyer On Spedding: "Leanne has amazing length and strength and is learning how to use it to her advantage. She is expected to dramatically improve, because she persistently challenges herself everyday in the pool."

Before Maryland: Named team's most valuable player and a second team all-state selection as a senior... played forward in basketball and first base in softball for the Wissahickon Trojans.

Personal: Parents are George and Lillian Goldenberg... father played baseball at Audison Broddus... member of the National Honor Society and Delta Epsilon Phi (German National Honors Society)... volunteered with the First Presbyterian Church of Ambler, at nursing homes, and organized Wissahickens Next Top Model for Breast Cancer Awareness... double majoring in communication and german.

BLAISE STANICIC 10

Senior • Attack
Annapolis, Md.
The Key School
CO-CAPTAIN

Salyer On Stanicic: "Blaise is a playmaker who has a knack for creating offensive opportunities everywhere in the pool. She is an intelligent player who knows the game and how to take advantage of other team's mistakes. Blaise returns as a second year co-captain, because she persistently proves she is a leader players want to follow."

Career: Ranks tied for second in school history in points (192), third in goals (111), first in assists (81), third in shots (347) and 10th in shooting percentage (.320).

As a Junior (2008): Smashed the Maryland single-season record for assists with 44... played in 37 games, including 35 starts... scored on more than one third of her shots (.342), resulting in 39 goals (fifth on team)... had the second most points of any Terp in a single season (83), trailing only current teammate Rachel Jordan... fourth on the team in steals with 52... dished an assist in 23 games, including a five-assist game against Indiana (3/1)... had a season-high five points vs. the Hoosiers... led the team in goals on seven occasions, five of which came in April... had a season-high four goals vs. Princeton (4/5).

As a Sophomore (2007): Led the team with 16 assists and finished third with 59 points... scored 43 goals on only 131 shots (.328 shooting percentage was second on the team)... only Terp player to finish season with positive ratios in kickouts drawn-to-kickouts and steals-to-turnovers... started all 34 matches... led or tied for team lead in goals in nine matches... scored at least one goal in 24 different games... season-high three goals came in five different matches.

As a Freshman (2006): Started 31 games and saw action in all 33... scored 29 goals and registered 21 assists… also tallied a team-high 46 steals.

Before Maryland: Played on the Naval Academy Aquatics Club Water Polo Team for nine years… current member of the U.S. Junior National Team… two-time member of the Youth National "B" team… four-time member of the Northeast Zone Team.

Personal: Parents are Miriam and Mladen Stanicic… has one brother, Maro (28)… made the Dean's List for Fall 2006 and Spring 2007... Student Athlete Advisory Council member since 2007 and secretary for the 2008-2009 school year... majors in English.

STANICIC'S CAREER STATISTICS

Year	GP/GS	G	A	Pts.	Sh.	Sh.Pct.	Stls	KO	KOD	TO
2006	33/31	29	21	50	102	.284	46	21	13	29
2007	34/34	43	16	59	131	.328	25	17	27	22
2008	37/35	39	44	83	114	.342	52	19	15	31
Totals	**104/100**	**111**	**81**	**192**	**347**	**.320**	**123**	**57**	**55**	**82**

ROSNI STRUDWICK 9

Senior • Attack
St. Andrew, Jamaica
Campion College HS
(Montgomery College)

Salyer On Strudwick: "Rosni brings international experience as a member of the Jamaican Junior National team. She is a fantastic athlete who continues to improve as she expands her game."

As a Junior (2008): Did not see game action.

Before Maryland: Played for the Jamaican Junior National team… also played soccer in high school and at Montgomery College… MVP of her high school soccer team… earned first team All-Region honors at Montgomery College.

Personal: Parents are Courtney and Rosalee Strudwick… has a brother, Matthew (19)... lists Jamaican Olympic sprinter Usain Bolt as her sports hero... besides playing soccer in her free time, she enjoys playing dominos... received Woman of the Year award at her high school graduation... made the dean's list in fall of 2006… majors in kinesiology and wants to be a physical therapist.

CHRISTEN VAGTS 5

Senior • Center Defender
Crofton, Md.
South River HS

On Vagts: "Christen has proven herself as a top center defender in collegiate water polo. Her style of play allows the defense to aggressively attack into offense. Christen has quickly expanded her offensive game and developed a strong outside shot and the ability to draw ejections."

Career: Ranks fifth in school history in points (118), goals (78), assists (40) and shots (235)... eighth on the shooting percentage (.332) chart.

As a Junior (2008): Played in 37 games, starting 34 of them... had the second most assists (24) and steals (58) on the team, while committing fewer turnovers (21) than any player who started more than four games... shot an efficient 36.5 percent, good for seventh on the Maryland single-season list... scored a season-high four goals against Iona (2/23)... also posted a season-high five points against the Gaels.

As a Sophomore (2007): Started in 33 of 34 games played... finished sixth on the team with 35 points and fifth in goals with 27… the goals total came on only 85 shots for a .317 shooting percentage... led team with 53 steals and with plus-36 differential in steals-to-turnovers... led team in scoring with hat trick in 11-6 win over Bucknell in second round of CWPA Eastern Championships (4/28)... scored in 15 different games... season-high four goals came in a win over Bucknell (4/21) in first round of CWPA Southern Division tourney.

As a Freshman (2006): Started 32 of 33 games played… scored 20 goals on 65 shots for a .308 shooting percentage… tallied eight assists and 41 steals.

Before Maryland: Played on the Naval Academy Aquatics Club Water Polo Team for eight years… four-time member of the Northeast Zone Team.

Personal: Parents are Christopher and Jonette Vagts… has three brothers, Bryan (23), who swims for USMMA, Justin (17). and Joshua (15) … enrolled in University and Departmental Honors... nominated for Undergraduate of the Year... participates in the Undergraduate Research Assistant Program… majors in kinesiology.

VAGTS' CAREER STATISTICS

Year	GP/GS	G	A	Pts.	Sh.	Sh.Pct.	Stls	KO	KOD	TO
2006	33/32	20	8	28	65	.308	41	28	18	12
2007	34/33	27	8	35	85	.318	53	34	25	17
2008	37/34	31	24	55	85	.365	58	34	29	21
Totals	**104/99**	**78**	**40**	**118**	**235**	**.332**	**152**	**96**	**72**	**50**

2008 SEASON REVIEW

RECORD: 22-16... CWPA SOUTH: 3-3 (3RD)
HOME: 8-5... ROAD: 2-4... NEUTRAL: 12-7

Date	Opponent	Score	Rec	CWPA South	Terps' Leading Scorer
Feb. 9	vs. San Diego State (1)	L, 6-13	0-1	--	Hopkins (2)
Feb. 9	vs. Santa Clara (1)	L, 5-8	0-2	--	Jordan (2)
Feb. 10	vs. Redlands (1)	W, 15-4	1-2	--	Simerly, Hopkins (4)
Feb. 10	vs. Brown (1)	W, 10-8	2-2	--	Simerly (3)
Feb. 16	vs. Siena (2)	W, 8-3	3-2	--	Hopkins (2)
Feb. 16	vs. Villanova (2)	W, 14-2	4-2	--	M. Eicks (3)
Feb. 16	vs. Indiana (2)	L, 6-12	4-3	--	Hopkins, M. Eicks (2)
Feb. 17	vs. Harvard (2)	W, 11-8	5-3	--	Jordan (5)
Feb. 23	IONA (3)	W, 16-6	6-3	--	Vagts (4)
Feb. 23	MARIST (3)	W, 9-8	7-3	--	Vagts, M. Eicks, Laidlaw (2)
Feb. 23	VILLANOVA (3)	W, 16-9	8-3	--	Ernst, Shaw (4)
Feb. 24	ST. FRANCIS (NY) (3)	W, 15-8	9-3	--	Simerly (4)
Feb. 24	WAGNER (3)	W, 20-12	10-3	--	Jordan (6)
Mar. 1	MICHIGAN (4)	L, 4-9	10-4	--	Jordan (2)
Mar. 1	INDIANA (4)	L, 9-10	10-5	--	Simerly (4)
Mar. 2	HARTWICK (4)	L, 16-17 (OT)	10-6	--	Jordan, Beck (4)
Mar. 2	BROWN (4)	W, 12-7	11-6	--	Beck (3)
Mar. 12	at George Washington*	W, 9-3	12-6	1-0	Simerly (2)
Mar. 15	vs. Redlands (5)	W, 12-6	13-6	1-0	Jordan (3)
Mar. 15	vs. Pomona-Pitzer (5)	W, 10-8	14-6	1-0	Stanicic (3)
Mar. 16	vs. Claremont-Mudd-Scripps (5)	W, 12-7	15-6	1-0	Jordan (4)
Mar. 16	vs. Cal State San Bernadino (5)	W, 11-7	16-6	1-0	Simerly (3)
Mar. 18	at Long Beach State	L, 6-15	16-7	1-0	Laidlaw (2)
Mar. 18	at Chapman	W, 14-3	17-7	1-0	Simerly (3)
Mar. 19	at Loyola Marymount	L, 7-13	17-8	1-0	Hopkins (3)
Mar. 28	vs. St. Francis (NY)	W, 17-5	18-8	1-0	M. Eicks (3)
Mar. 29	at Bucknell*	L, 6-7 (OT)	18-9	1-1	Jordan (2)
Apr. 5	vs. Brown (at Princeton)	L, 9-10	18-10	1-1	Stanicic, Hopkins (2)
Apr. 5	at Princeton*	L, 9-10	18-11	1-2	Stanicic (4)
Apr. 9	GEORGE WASHINGTON*	W, 17-6	19-11	2-2	M. Eicks, Jordan, Stanicic (3)
Apr. 12	PRINCETON*	W, 12-9	20-11	3-2	Jordan (4)
Apr. 12	MICHIGAN	L, 12-15 (OT)	20-12	3-2	Hopkins (4)
Apr. 13	BUCKNELL*	L, 10-12	20-13	3-3	M. Eicks, Jordan, Stanicic(3)
Apr. 19	vs. Princeton (6)	L, 4-10	20-14	3-3	Stanicic (3)
Apr. 19	vs. George Washington (6)	W, 10-3	21-14	3-3	Jordan (3)
Apr. 25	vs. Indiana (7)	W, 13-11	22-14	3-3	Jordan, Simerly (4)
Apr. 26	vs. Hartwick (7)	L, 11-18	22-15	3-3	Jordan (3)
Apr. 27	Princeton (7)	L, 2-9	22-16	3-3	Klein, Hopkins (1)

CWPA SOUTHERN DIVISION CHAMPIONSHIP
Kinney Natatorium
Lewisburg, Pa. • Saturday, April 19

Semifinals
#1 Bucknell 11, #4 George Washington 2
#2 Princeton 10, #3 MARYLAND 4

Third-Place Game
MARYLAND 10, George Washington 3

Championship Game
Princeton 10, Bucknell 9

CWPA EASTERN CHAMPIONSHIPS
Ann Arbor, Mich. • Saturday, April 25-27

Quarterfinals
#1 Michigan 14, #8 Mercyhurst 2
#4 Princeton 7, #5 Bucknell 6
#2 Hartwick 15, #7 Brown 8
#6 MARYLAND 13, #3 Indiana 11

Consolation Semifinals
Brown 14, Indiana 10
Bucknell 14, Mercyhurst 8

Championship Semifinals
Michigan 7, Princeton 4
Hartwick 18, MARYLAND 11

Sunday, April 27
7th Place - Indiana 15, Mercyhurst 3
5th Place - Brown 9, Bucknell 8
3rd Place - Princeton 9, MARYLAND 2
Final - Michigan 10, Hartwick 7

* - CWPA Southern Division Match
(1) - Triton Invitational (San Diego, Calif.)
(2) - Princeton Invitational (Princeton, N.J.)
(3) - TERRAPIN INVITATIONAL (College Park, Md.)
(4) - ELITE SIX TOURNAMENT (College Park, Md.)
(5) - Claremont Tournament (Claremont, Calif.)
(6) - CWPA Southern Division Championship (Lewisberg, Pa.)... Finished 3rd
(6) - CWPA Eastern Championships (Ann Arbor, Mich.)... Finished 4th

RACHEL JORDAN

2008 STATISTICS

No	Offensive Players	GP	GS	Goals	Asts	Pts	Shots	Steals	K'outs	KO Drawn	T'overs	ShPct.	Gls/GP	KODwn -K'outs	Steals -T'overs
6	Rachel Jordan	37	35	65	21	86	169	34	31	38	40	0.385	1.76	7	-6
10	Blaise Stanicic	37	35	39	44	83	114	52	19	15	31	0.342	1.05	-4	21
7	Elizabeth Hopkins	37	35	56	19	75	176	54	37	21	37	0.318	1.51	-16	17
2	Shannon Simerly	37	35	49	8	57	118	62	32	22	36	0.415	1.32	-10	26
14	Maggie Eicks	37	4	42	13	55	95	12	16	31	47	0.442	1.14	15	-35
5	Christen Vagts	37	34	31	24	55	85	58	34	29	21	0.365	0.84	-5	37
11	Allison Beck	37	34	28	16	44	78	18	20	24	42	0.359	0.76	4	-24
4	Bryndis Klein	38	1	20	21	41	44	37	15	8	19	0.455	0.53	-7	18
16	Casey Mills	36	3	12	15	27	32	11	10	26	23	0.375	0.33	16	-12
15	Laurel Laidlaw	25	2	12	12	24	28	13	14	2	10	0.429	0.48	-12	3
21	Allie Houseal	34	4	6	17	23	21	18	12	4	13	0.286	0.18	-8	5
8	Jessica Ernst	29	1	13	4	17	26	5	9	4	11	0.500	0.45	-5	-6
12	Liz Eicks	36	2	5	10	15	20	17	28	5	11	0.250	0.14	-23	6
20	Colleen Shaw	16	1	11	4	15	16	3	4	0	7	0.688	0.69	-4	-4
17	Jill Lau	23	1	7	5	12	14	9	6	5	4	0.500	0.30	-1	5
19	Meghan Powers	34	0	5	7	12	41	13	11	7	8	0.122	0.15	-4	5
3	Stephanie Ragheb	13	1	3	5	8	16	3	4	0	3	0.188	0.23	-4	0
	TERPS		**38**	**404**	**245**	**649**	**1093**	**419**	**302**	**241**	**363**	**0.370**	**10.63**	**-61**	**56**

No	Goalkeepers	GP	GS	Goals	Blocks	K'outs	Steals	Asts	BlkPct	Blk/GP				-- 6 on 5 --	
1A	Ashleigh Jobson	33	31	263	286	3	36	13	.521	8.7			98	116	458
1	Anna Gossett	20	7	66	100	1	17	6	.602	5.0				-- 5 on 6 --	
	TERPS		**38**	**329**	**386**	**4**	**53**	**19**	**.540**	**10.2**			**Scored**	**Missed**	**Pct.**
													134	163	451
													57	81	.413

2008 NCAA FINAL POLL

Team	Pts
1. UCLA	100
2. USC	95
3. Stanford	90
4. Hawai'i	85
5. UC Davis	77
6. California	75
7. San Diego State	71
8. San Jose State	65
9. Arizone State	60
10. Michigan	56
11. Loyola Marymount	48
12. UC Irvine	44
13. Cal State Northridge	41
14. Hartwick	37
15. Long Beach State	31
16. UC San Diego	24
17. Princeton	20
18. Santa Clara	15
19. UC Santa Barbara	7
20. Brown	4

ELIZABETH HOPKINS

THE RECORD BOOK

CAREER RECORDS

POINTS

1.	*Elizabeth Hopkins ('06-08)*	*205 (150G, 55A)*
T2.	*Blaise Stanicic (2006-08)*	*192 (111G, 81A)*
T2.	*Rachel Jordan (2006-08)*	*192 (157G, 35A)*
4.	*Shannon Simerly (2007-08)*	*121 (107G, 14A)*
5.	*Christen Vagts (2006-08)*	*118 (78G, 40A)*
6.	*Bryndis Klein (2006-08)*	*111 (66G, 45A)*
7.	Juli Jordan (2004-06)	*82 (53G, 29A)*
8.	Allie Houseal (2005-08)	79 (34G, 45A)
9.	Elyse Corwin (2004-05)	63 (53G, 10A)
10.	Colleen McShane (2004-05)	59 (45G, 14A)

GOALS

1.	*Rachel Jordan (2006-08)*	*157*
2.	*Elizabeth Hopkins (2006-08)*	*150*
3.	*Blaise Stanicic (2006-08)*	*111*
4.	*Shannon Simerly (2007-08)*	*107*
5.	*Christen Vagts (2006-08)*	*78*
6.	*Bryndis Klein (2006-08)*	66
T7.	Juli Jordan (2004-06)	53
T7.	Elyse Corwin (2004-05)	53
9.	Colleen McShane (2004-05)	45
10.	Maggie Eicks (2008)	42

ASSISTS

1.	*Blaise Stanicic (2006-08)*	*81*
2.	*Elizabeth Hopkins (2006-08)*	55
T3.	Allie Houseal (2005-08)	45
T3.	*Bryndis Klein (2006-08)*	*45*
5.	*Christen Vagts (2006-08)*	*40*
6.	*Rachel Jordan (2006-08)*	*35*
7.	Juli Jordan (2004-06)	29
8.	Allison Kuzniar (2004-06)	25
9.	*Laurel Laidlaw (2006-08)*	*21*
10.	Elizabeth Eicks (2006-08)	*18*

SHOTS

1.	*Elizabeth Hopkins (2006-08)*	*530*
2.	*Rachel Jordan (2006-08)*	*514*
3.	*Blaise Stanicic (2006-08)*	*347*
4.	*Shannon Simerly (2007-08)*	*276*
5.	*Christen Vagts (2006-08)*	*235*
6.	Juli Jordan (2004-06)	190
7.	*Bryndis Klein (2006-08)*	*189*
8.	Allie Houseal (2005-08)	169
9.	Elyse Corwin (2004-05)	149
10.	Colleen McShane (2004-05)	136

SHOOTING PCT.

(min. 30 shots)

1.	Maggie Eicks (2008)	.442 (42/95)
2.	*Shannon Simerly (2007-08)*	*.388 (107/276)*
3.	*Jill Lau (2006-08)*	*.387 (12/31)*
4.	*Casey Mills (2008)*	.387 (12/32)
5.	*Allison Beck (2008)*	.359 (28/78)
6.	Elyse Corwin (2004-05)	.356 (53/149)
7.	Allison Kuzniar (2004-06)	.350 (28/80)
8.	*Christen Vagts (2006-08)*	*.332 (78/235)*
9.	Colleen McShane (2004-05)	.331 (45/136)
10.	*Blaise Stanicic (2006-08)*	*.320 (111/347)*

BLOCKS

1.	Marissa Corwin (2004-07)	543
2.	*Ashleigh Jobson (2006-08)*	*479*
3.	*Anna Gossett (2006-08)*	*174*
4.	Stacy Glantz (2004-05)	*33*

BLOCK PERCENTAGE

1.	*Anna Gossett (2006-08)*	*.542*
2.	*Ashleigh Jobson (2006-08)*	*502*
3.	Marissa Corwin (2004-07)	.500
4.	Stacy Glantz (2004-05)	*.327*

Current Terps in Italics

SEASON RECORDS

POINTS

1.	*Rachel Jordan (2008)*	*86 (65G, 21A)*
2.	*Blaise Stanicic (2008)*	*83 (39G, 44A)*
3.	*Elizabeth Hopkins (2008)*	*75 (56G, 19A)*
4.	*Elizabeth Hopkins (2007)*	*70 (57G, 13A)*
5.	*Shannon Simerly (2007)*	*64 (58G, 6A)*
6.	*Elizabeth Hopkins (2006)*	*60 (37G, 23A)*
7.	*Blaise Stanicic (2007)*	*59 (43G, 16A)*
T8.	*Rachel Jordan (2006)*	*57 (46G, 11A)*
T8.	*Shannon Simerly (2008)*	*57 (49G, 8A)*
T10.	*Christen Vagts (2008)*	*55 (31G, 24A)*
T10.	Maggie Eicks (2008)	*55 (42G, 13A)*

GOALS

1.	*Rachel Jordan (2008)*	65
2.	*Shannon Simerly (2007)*	58
3.	*Elizabeth Hopkins (2007)*	57
4.	*Elizabeth Hopkins (2008)*	56
5.	*Shannon Simerly (2008)*	49
6.	Elyse Corwin (2005)	47
T7.	*Rachel Jordan (2007)*	*46*
T7.	*Rachel Jordan (2006)*	*46*
9.	*Blaise Stanicic (2007)*	*43*
10.	Maggie Eicks (2008)	42

ASSISTS

1.	*Blaise Stanicic (2008)*	*44*
2.	*Christen Vagts (2008)*	*24*
3.	*Elizabeth Hopkins (2006)*	*23*
T4.	*Blaise Stanicic (2006)*	*21*
T4.	*Bryndis Klein (2008)*	*21*
T4.	*Rachel Jordan (2008)*	*21*
7.	*Elizabeth Hopkins (2008)*	*19*
8.	Allie Houseal (2008)	17
T9.	*Allison Beck (2008)*	*16*
T9.	*Blaise Stanicic (2007)*	*16*
T9.	Allison Kuzniar (2005)	16

SHOTS

1.	*Elizabeth Hopkins (2007)*	195
2.	*Rachel Jordan (2006)*	*189*
3.	*Elizabeth Hopkins (2008)*	*176*
4.	*Rachel Jordan (2008)*	169
5.	*Elizabeth Hopkins (2006)*	*159*
6.	*Shannon Simerly (2007)*	*158*
7.	*Rachel Jordan (2007)*	*156*
8.	Elyse Corwin (2005)	125
9.	Colleen McShane (2005)	124
10.	*Shannon Simerly (2008)*	*118*

SHOOTING PCT.

(min. 30 shots)

1.	*Bryndis Klein (2008)*	*.455 (20/44)*
2.	Maggie Eicks (2008)	.442 (42/95)
3.	*Shannon Simerly (2008)*	*.415 (49/118)*
4.	*Rachel Jordan (2008)*	.385 (65/169)
5.	Elyse Corwin (2005)	.376 (47/125)
6.	*Casey Mills (2008)*	.375 (12/32)
7.	*Shannon Simerly (2007)*	.367 (58/158)
8.	*Christen Vagts (2008)*	.365 (31/85)
9.	*Allison Beck (2008)*	.359 (28/78)
10.	Juli Jordan (2005)	.345 (30/107)

BLOCKS

1.	*Ashley Jobson (2008)*	286
2.	Marissa Corwin (2005)	196
3.	Marissa Corwin (2006)	127
4.	Marissa Corwin (2007)	117
5.	*Ashleigh Jobson (2007)*	*107*

BLOCK PERCENTAGE

(min. 50% games played)

1.	Anna Gossett (2008)	.602
2.	Marissa Corwin (2006)	.575
3.	Anna Gossett (2007)	.531
4.	*Ashleigh Jobson (2008)*	*.521*
5.	Marissa Corwin (2005)	.490

CLASS RECORDS

POINTS

Freshman	64	Shannon Simerly (2007)
Sophomore	70	Elizabeth Hopkins (2007)
Junior	86	Rachel Jordan (2008)
Senior	54	Elyse Corwin (2005)
	54	Colleen McShane (2005)

GOALS

Freshman	58	Shannon Simerly (2007)
Sophomore	57	Elizabeth Hopkins (2007)
Junior	65	Rachel Jordan (2008)
Senior	47	Elyse Corwin (2005)

ASSISTS

Freshman	23	Elizabeth Hopkins (2006)
Sophomore	16	Blaise Stanicic (2007)
Junior	44	Blaise Stanicic (2008)
Senior	17	Allie Houseal (2008)

SHOTS

Freshman	189	Rachel Jordan (2006)
Sophomore	195	Elizabeth Hopkins (2007)
Junior	176	Elizabeth Hopkins (2008)
Senior	125	Elyse Corwin (2005)

SHOOTING PCT.

(min. 30 shots)

Freshman	.442	Maggie Eicks (2007)
Sophomore	.415	Shannon Simerly (2008)
Junior	.455	Bryndis Klein (2008)
Senior	.376	Elyse Corwin (2005)

BLOCKS

Freshman	86	Ashleigh Jobson (2006)
Sophomore	107	Ashleigh Jobson (2007)
Junior	286	Ashleigh Jobson (2008)
Senior	127	Marissa Corwin (2006)

BLOCK PCT.

(min. 50% games played)

Freshman	.480	Ashleigh Jobson (2006)
Sophomore	.471	Ashleigh Jobson (2007)
Junior	.531	Anna Gossett (2007)
Senior	.602	Anna Gossett (2008)

YEAR-BY-YEAR RESULTS

Year	W	L	Pct.	CWPA So. Div.	Pct.	CWPA Reg.Ssn.	CWPA-S Tourn.	Head Coach	Postseason
2004	0	12	.000	0-8	.000	5th	5th	Scott Budde	--
2005	12	19	.387	2-6	.250	4th	4th	Carl Salyer	--
2006	19	14	.576	3-3	.350	3rd	2nd	Carl Salyer	7th at Eastern Champs.
2007	16	18	.471	4-2	.667	2nd	1st	Carl Salyer	6th at Eastern Champs.
2008	22	16	.579	3-3	.500	3rd	3rd	Carl Salyer	4th at Eastern Champs.
Total	69	79	.466	12-22	.353				

CWPA SOUTHERN DIVISION OPPONENT INFORMATION

BUCKNELL BISON

Location:	Lewisburg, Pa.
Home Pool:	Kinney Natatorium
Colors:	Orange and Blue
Head Coach:	John Abdou (UC Irvine '01)
Overall Record:	26-10, 2nd Season
Record at School:	Same
Assistant Coach:	John Abdou
Office Phone:	570-577-1777
2008 Record:	26-10
2008 Division Record/Finish:	5-1 / 1st
Letterwinners Returning/Lost:	12 / 2
Water Polo SID:	Todd Merriett
SID Phone:	570-577-3488
SID Fax:	570-577-1660
SID E-Mail:	tmernet@bucknell.edu
Website:	www.BucknellBison.com

GEORGE WASHINGTON COLONIALS

Location:	Washington, D.C.
Home Pool:	Charles E. Smith Center
Colors:	Buff and Blue
Head Coach:	Scott Reed (Massachusetts '94)
Overall Record:	114-137, 9th Season
Record at School:	Same
Assistant Coach:	Kira Canon, Lisa Greenfield
Office Phone:	202-994-5777
2008 Record:	7-21
2008 Division Record/Finish:	0-6 / 4th
Letterwinners Returning/Lost:	12 / 4
Water Polo SID:	Jesse Hooker
SID Phone:	202-994-8604
SID Fax:	202-994-2713
SID E-Mail:	jhooker@gwu.edu
Website:	www.gwsports.com

PRINCETON TIGERS

Location:	Princeton, N.J.
Home Pool:	DeNunzio Pool
Colors:	Black and Orange
Head Coach:	Luis Nicolao (Navy '92)
Overall Record:	231-88, 11th Season
Record at School:	Same
Assistant Coaches:	Derek Ellingson, Mike McKenna
Office Phone:	609-258-1847
2008 Record:	20-11
2008 Division Record/Finish:	4-2 / 2nd
Letterwinners Returning/Lost:	15 / 1
Water Polo SID:	Yaniv Amir
SID Phone:	609-258-5701
SID Fax:	609-258-2399
SID E-Mail:	yamir@princeton.edu
Website:	www.goprincetontigers.com

SERIES RECORDS

Opponent	W-L	Began	Last	GF	GA
Brown	2-4	L, 5-17 (05)	L, 9-10 (08)	49	57
Bucknell	5-15	L, 3-11 (04)	L, 10-12 (08)	118	185
Cal Baptist	1-0	W, 4-3 (06)	W, 4-3 (06)	4	3
Cal Lutheran	1-0	W, 6-4 (06)	W, 6-4 (06)	6	4
Cal St. Bakersfield	0-1	L, 6-10 (07)	L, 6-10 (07)	6	10
Cal St. East Bay	1-0	W, 11-4 (06)	W, 11-4 (06)	11	4
Cal St. Monterey Bay	1-0	W, 11-8 (07)	W, 11-8 (07)	11	8
Cal St. San Bernadino	1-0	W, 11-7 (08)	W, 11-7 (08)	11	7
Cal Tech	1-0	W, 15-1 (06)	W, 15-1 (06)	15	1
Chapman	1-0	W, 14-3 (08)	W, 14-3 (08)	14	3
Claremont-Mudd-Scripps	1-0	W, 12-7 (08)	W, 12-7 (08)	12	7
George Washington	7-6	L, 1-8 (04)	W, 10-3 (08)	95	85
Hartwick	0-3	L, 4-16 (06)	L, 11-18 (08)	31	51
Harvard	3-1	L, 7-8 (06)	W, 11-8 (08)	27	22
Indiana	1-3	L, 12-14 (07)	W, 13-11 (08)	40	47
Iona	2-1	L, 3-4 (05)	W, 16-6 (08)	27	12
Long Beach St.	0-1	L, 6-15 (08)	L, 6-15 (08)	6	15
Loyola Marymount	0-3	L, 2-10 (06)	L, 7-13 (07)	15	36
Marist	5-2	W, 6-4 (05)	W, 9-8 (08)	47	47
Mercyhurst	1-0	W, 10-6 (05)	W, 10-6 (05)	10	6
Michigan	0-3	L, 7-10 (07)	L, 12-15 (08)	23	34
Michigan State	0-1	L, 2-5 (05)	L, 2-5 (05)	2	5
Navy Aquatic Club	1-1	L, 4-9 (05)	W, 10-5 (06)	14	14

Opponent	W-L	Began	Last	GF	GA
Notre Dame	0-1	L, 5-10 (05)	L, 5-10 (05)	5	10
Occidental	1-0	W, 11-10 (06)	W, 11-10 (06)	11	10
Ottawa	0-1	L, 8-9 (05)	L, 8-9 (05)	8	9
Pacific	1-0	W, 12-7 (07)	W, 12-7 (07)	12	7
Penn St.-Behrend	3-0	W, 12-6 (05)	W, 13-1 (06)	36	12
Pomona-Pitzer	1-0	W, 10-8 (08)	W, 10-8 (08)	10	8
Princeton	3-17	L, 7-17 (04)	L, 2-9 (08)	107	224
Redlands	2-1	L, 5-6 (07)	W, 12-6 (08)	32	16
Queens	1-0	W, 15-6 (05)	W, 15-6 (05)	15	6
St. Francis	3-0	W, 13-4 (06)	W, 17-5 (08)	45	17
Salem International	4-0	W, 14-8 (05)	W, 13-6 (05)	48	19
San Diego State	0-2	L, 6-12 (06)	L, 6-13 (08)	12	25
San Jose State	0-1	L, 6-10 (07)	L, 6-10 (07)	6	10
Santa Clara	0-2	L, 9-13 (07)	L, 5-8 (08)	14	21
Siena	3-0	W, 12-5 (05)	W, 8-3 (08)	29	13
Slippery Rock	2-0	W, 9-6 (05)	W, 11-5 (06)	20	11
Sonoma State	1-0	W, 15-8 (07)	W, 15-8 (07)	15	8
Stanford	0-1	L, 5-19 (07)	L, 5-19 (07)	5	19
UC Davis	0-1	L, 3-12 (07)	L, 3-12 (07)	3	12
UC Irvine	0-1	L, 4-10 (06)	L, 4-10 (06)	4	10
UCLA	0-1	L, 3-18 (06)	L, 3-18 (06)	3	18
UC Santa Cruz	1-0	W, 9-2 (07)	W, 9-2 (07)	9	2
Utica	1-0	W, 13-3 (05)	W, 13-3 (05)	13	3

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Charles Benedict Calvert founded the Maryland Agricultural College in 1856 with the goal of creating a school that would offer outstanding practical knowledge to him and his neighbors and be "an institution superior to any other."

One hundred and fifty years later, the University of Maryland has blossomed from its roots as the state's first agricultural college and one of America's original land grant institutions into a model of the modern research university. It is the state's greatest asset for its economic development and its future, and has made its mark in the nation and the world.

Calvert would be astounded by the depth and breadth of research activities, innovative educational programs, and the single-minded pursuit of excellence that are part of the University of Maryland today. Maryland is ranked 18th among the nation's top public research universities by *U.S. News & World Report*, with **31 academic programs in the Top 10 and 86 in the Top 25.** It is also ranked No. 37th in the world, according to the Institute of Higher Education at at Shanghai's Jiao Tong University.

Maryland is **the state's premier center of research and graduate education and the public institution of choice for undergraduate students of exceptional ability and promise. The faculty includes four Nobel laureates, six Pulitzer Prize winners, a three-time Emmy Award winner, more than 40 members of national academies and scores of Fulbright scholars.** The university focuses great attention on the highest academic standards, affordability for all qualified students, and a President's Promise program that guarantees opportunity for extraordinary extracurricular and professional experiences for each student.

It has earned a national reputation for its enriched educational experiences for undergraduates, including such widely imitated living/learning programs as College Park Scholars; Gemstone, a unique program that brings teams of students together from across disciplines to tackle specific technical problems; and the Hinman CEO Entrepreneurship Program, sponsored jointly by the A. James Clark School of Engineering and the Robert H. Smith School of Business, and widely recognized as the most successful student entrepreneurship program in the nation.

These programs are guided by outstanding faculty whose accomplishments in research abound. Whether the issue is Mideast peace, cutting-edge research in nanoscience, homeland security or bioscience advances, Maryland faculty are selected for national leadership and are making news. Many recent major faculty initiatives receiving significant external support strengthen our homeland security endeavors—centers for research on agrosecurity and emergency management; intermodal freight transportation security; behavioral and social analyses of terrorism and responses to terrorism; astrophysics and advanced world climate and weather prediction; and a national Center for Advanced Study of Language.

In addition to its academic prowess, Maryland is also home to the Terrapins, whose athletic achievements are a perennial source of pride for nearly 250,000 alumni and residents of the state. In 2005-2006, the Terrapins brought home national championships in four sports — men's soccer, field hockey, competitive cheer and women's basketball — more than any university in the nation.

Whether aiming for the skies or pioneering journalism programs in China, the University of Maryland is surging ahead. Building on the work of outstanding faculty and students, and with the loyal support of alumni and friends, Maryland is moving aggressively and confidently to a decade that will shine brighter than any other in its history.

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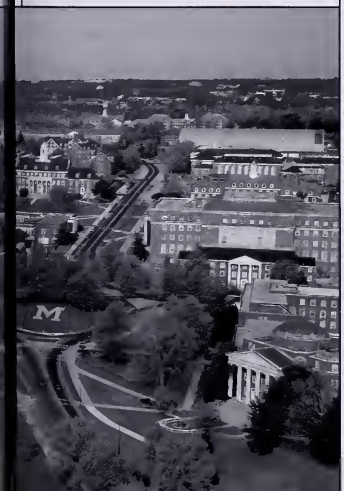

DR. C.D. MOTE

UNIVERSITY PRESIDENT
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10TH YEAR

In September 1998, C. D. (Dan) Mote, Jr. began his tenure as President of the University of Maryland and Glenn L. Martin Institute Professor of Engineering. He was recruited to lead the University of Maryland to national eminence under a mandate by the state. Since assuming the presidency, he has encouraged an environment of excellence across the University and given new impetus to the momentum generated by a talented faculty and student body. Under his leadership, academic programs have flourished. In 2005, the University was ranked 18th among public research universities, up from 30th in 1998. President Mote has emphasized broad access to the university's model, enriched undergraduate curriculum programs and launched the Baltimore Incentive Awards Program to recruit and provide full support to high school students of outstanding potential who have overcome extraordinary adversity during their lives.

He has spurred the university to lead the state in the development of its high-tech economy, especially in the information and communication, bioscience and biotechnology, and nano-technology sectors. President Mote has greatly expanded the university's partnerships with corporate and federal laboratories and successfully negotiated to bring to the College Park area the first Science Research Park sponsored by the People's Republic of China. Under his leadership, the University has established a research park, The University of Maryland Enterprise Campus, M-Square, located on a 115-acre site adjacent to the University of Maryland/College Park Metro with 3 million square feet of development potential. Among its first tenants are the Center for Advanced Study of Language, a joint venture of the University and Department of Defense, and the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration's new World Weather and Climate Prediction Center.

During President Mote's second year in office, the University began the largest building boom in its history, with more than $100 million in new projects breaking ground that year. New facilities address every aspect of university life, from the arts to recreation to classrooms and laboratories, and, in creative partnership with the private sector, new residential facilities. Highlights of the construction activity include the stunning Clarice Smith Performing Arts Center; the Comcast Center, a state of the art sports complex; a high tech research greenhouse; and new classrooms for chemistry, computer science, business and engineering. President Mote also led the development of a new Facilities Master Plan for development in the next 20 years, which is noted for its emphasis on environmental stewardship.

Dr. Mote is a leader in the national dialogue on higher education and his analyses of shifting funding models have been featured in local and national media. He has testified on major educational issues before Congress, representing the University and higher education associations on the problem of visa barriers for international students and scholars and on deemed export control issues. He has been asked to serve on a high level National Academies Committee appointed at the request of the Senate Energy Subcommittee of the Senate Energy and Natural Resources Committee to identify challenges to United States leadership in key areas of science and technology and to be a member of the Leadership Council of the National Innovation Initiative, an activity of the Council on Competitiveness. He has served as vice chair of the Department of Defense Basic Research Committee, and is a member of the Council of the National Academy of Engineering. In 2004-2005, he served as President of the Atlantic Coast Conference. In its last ranking in 2002, "Washington Business Forward" magazine counted him among the top 20 most influential leaders in the region.

Prior to assuming the Presidency at Maryland, Dr. Mote served on the University of California, Berkeley faculty for 31 years. From 1991 to 1998, he was Vice Chancellor at Berkeley, held an endowed chair in Mechanical Systems and was President of the UC Berkeley Foundation. He led a comprehensive capital campaign for Berkeley that raised $1.4 B. He earlier served as chair of Berkeley's Department of Mechanical Engineering and led the department to its number one ranking in the National Research Council review of graduate program effectiveness.

Dr. Mote's research lies in dynamic systems and biomechanics. Internationally recognized for his research on the dynamics of gyroscopic systems and the biomechanics of snow skiing, he has produced more than 300 publications, holds patents in the U.S., Norway, Finland and Sweden, and has mentored 56 Ph.D. students. He received a B.S., M.S. and Ph.D. in mechanical engineering from the University of California, Berkeley. President Mote has received numerous awards and honors, including the Humboldt Prize awarded by the Federal Republic of Germany. He is a recipient of the Berkeley Citation, an award from the University of California-Berkeley similar to the honorary doctorate, and was named Distinguished Engineering Alumnus. He has received two honorary doctorates. He is a member of the U.S. National Academy of Engineering and serves on its Council, and is a member of the American Academy of Arts and Sciences. He was elected to Honorary Membership in the ASME International, its most distinguished recognition, and is a Fellow of the International Academy of Wood Science, the Acoustical Society of America, and the American Association for the Advancement of Science. In Spring 2005, he was named recipient of the 2005 J. P. Den Hartog award by the ASME International Technical Committee on Vibration and Sound to honor his lifelong contribution to the teaching and/or practice of vibration engineering. In Fall 2005, he received the 2005 Founders Award from the National Academy of Engineering in recognition of his comprehensive body of work on the dynamics of moving flexible structures and for leadership in academia.

He and his wife of over 40 years, Patricia Mote, have two married children, Melissa and Adam, and four grandchildren. Patsy Mote has continued her strong support of the arts and is spokesperson for the Clarice Smith Performing Arts Center and a member of Prince George's County Arts Commission.

DEBORAH A. YOW

DIRECTOR OF ATHLETICS • 15TH YEAR AT MARYLAND

Deborah A. Yow is in the 15th year of her outstanding tenure as director of athletics at the University of Maryland, a tenure that has seen unprecedented success and achievement in Maryland athletics. In Yow's 14-plus years at Maryland, the Terrapins have won a remarkable 18 national championships and graduated student-athletes at an enviable rate as Maryland athletics has soared to sustained new heights among the nation's elite intercollegiate athletic programs.

The comprehensive success of Terrapin athletics under Debbie Yow's leadership is a clear and compelling testimony of her values of **excellence, teamwork and accountability.**

Likewise, her prior election to the presidency of the National Association of Collegiate Directors of Athletics is an indication of the wide respect with which she is regarded among its 6,100 members representing 1,600 colleges and universities in the U.S. and Canada. She serves as the current President of the national Division I-A Athletic Directors Association and is a member of the Board of Directors of the National Football Foundation, as well as the Board of Directors of USA Football and the NCAA Division I Men's Basketball Academic Enhancement Committee.

She has been honored by *Street and Smith's Sports Business Journal* as one of the 20 most influential people in intercollegiate athletics, was cited in *The Chronicle of Higher Education* in October 2007 as one of the "Ten Most Powerful People in College Athletics/The Builder" and she has received the Carl Maddox Sport Management Award presented by the United States Sports Academy for excellence in athletics administration.

Dr. Yow was selected to serve on the U.S. Department of Education's Commission on Opportunities in Athletics to review the status of Federal Title IX regulations. She served as the chair of the Atlantic Coast Conference Committee on Television. The committee is charged with overseeing the league's TV contracts and dealing with issues related to television, including multi-year ACC football and basketball contracts with ABC, ESPN, ESPN2 and syndication entities.

Additionally, she has represented intercollegiate athletics with presentations in a number of prominent settings such as the Harvard University School of Law conference on "Shaping the Future of Collegiate Athletics" and the *Street and Smith's Sports Business Journal* "National Forum on the Direction of Intercollegiate Athletics" in New York.

Yow, who has served on the NCAA Management Council and the NCAA Division I Budget Committee, is a strong and steady voice on behalf of intercollegiate athletics in America.

Since taking over as AD at Maryland in 1994, she and her staff have:

- Transformed Terrapin athletics into a responsive, goal-oriented organization with 27 sports and more than 700 student-athletes.
- Balanced all 14 of the department's annual budgets (none of the budgets were balanced in the 10 years prior to her arrival). The budget now approaches $60 million annually and the $51 million debt which her administration inherited has been reduced to $7.6 million.
- Greatly enhanced the academic support services provided for student-athletes, with an enviable exhausted eligibility graduation rate of approximately 85 percent for student-athletes at Maryland. Academic outcomes and student-athlete welfare have received consistent and focused attention.
- Led the Terrapins to a national all-sports ranking in the upper 7 percent of all NCAA Division I institutions.
- Significantly expanded marketing and fund-raising efforts on behalf of Terrapin athletics. As a result, private gifts to athletics have increased over 350 percent and corporate sponsorship revenues have increased by over 300 percent during her tenure at Maryland.
- Continued to dramatically improve venues and facilities for the department's 27 teams. The 18,000-seat Comcast Center for men's and women's basketball and other sports that use the facility is a prime example of the remarkable $250 million upgrade of athletic facilities.
- Implemented a strategic management model.
- Developed a comprehensive Internet strategy with management, marketing and fund-raising applications.

Street & Smith's Sports Business Journal Named Deborah A. Yow One Of The 20 Most Influential People In College Athletics.

Yow with several Terrapin student-athletes at the annual Welcome Back Picnic.

- Significantly improved customer care in every area of Maryland athletics.

The most recent achievements of Maryland athletics are exceptional:

- Maryland captured a remarkable seven national championships during the past three seasons.
- In the recent academic year, the Terrapins achieved the highest student-athlete graduation rate in the history of Maryland athletics and had the highest graduation rate of any public institution in the Atlantic Coast Conference.
- Fundraising for Maryland athletics set a historic mark of $24.7 million in 2006-07.
- Maryland was selected by *U.S. News & World Report* and *Sports Illustrated* as one of the Top 20 athletic programs in the nation (for overall quality and competitive excellence).
- In 2005-06, Maryland Athletics won the inaugural PRISM Award as the best-managed Division I collegiate athletics program in the nation.
- Maryland was ranked as the sixth-finest athletic program in the nation by the Center for the Study of Intercollegiate Athletics, based on comprehensive criteria such as graduation rates, financial efficiency, equity effectiveness and competitive excellence.
- In men's basketball, the Terps won the Atlantic Coast Conference title over Duke in the championship game in 2004 and won the NCAA National Championship in 2002. Under Coach Gary Williams, the men's basketball team appeared in 11 consecutive NCAA Tournaments and in 12 of the last 15 tournaments.
- Women's basketball won the 2006 NCAA National Championship under head coach Brenda Frese, completing an amazing turnaround that saw the program go from a 10-18 record to a National Championship in four seasons.
- In football, the Terps won the 2001 Atlantic Coast Conference championship and played in the 2002 Orange Bowl, followed that with an 11-win season and a 30-3 victory over the University of Tennessee in the Peach Bowl, again followed by a 10-win season and a 41-7 win over West Virginia in the Gator Bowl on New Year's Day 2004. In the 2006 season, Maryland returned to the bowl scene, where the Terps defeated Purdue, 24-7, in the Champs Sports Bowl, and in 2007 was selected to play Oregon State in the Emerald Bowl in San Francisco. Graduation rates in football are exemplary and the program was recently recognized by the American Football Coaches Association for its academic excellence under Coach Ralph Friedgen.
- Additionally, Maryland is one of only three universities in the nation to win National Championships in men's basketball, women's basketball and football. Stanford and UCLA are the other NCAA Division I institutions to achieve that mark.
- Set an ACC single-game record for women's basketball attendance by drawing 17,950 to a regular-season game at Comcast Center and led the ACC in season attendance.

Dr. Yow with Boomer Esiason (left), Bonnie Bernstein (center) and Steve Francis (right).

- Hired Dave Cottle, the sixth-winningest active men's lacrosse coach in the U.S., who guided his team to the NCAA Final Four in three of his first four seasons.
- Field hockey earned National Championships in 2005, 2006 and in 2008, and has become a perennial participant in the Final Four in that sport.
- In women's lacrosse, hired Cathy Reese, who was named the 2007 ACC Coach of the Year in her first season as coach of the Terps.
- Men's soccer has appeared in five College Cups in the past seven years and won the 2005 and 2008 NCAA National Championship.
- Football facilities have been significantly enhanced with team house, stadium and practice field upgrades. The Football Academic Center was the first improvement, as it took priority over all other initiatives.
- In 2006-07, 16 Maryland teams competed in postseason play.
- The productivity, morale, and the competitive and academic achievement of Terrapin athletics are exceptional and continue to gain momentum.

Regarding the many achievements of Terrapin athletics over the past 14 years, Yow says, ***"We are pleased, but we are not satisfied ... our vision is to be one of the Top 5 programs in the nation consistently ... we see no reason to settle for less."***

Yow is known for her goal-oriented and proactive management style. She consistently inspires and challenges those around her to "***raise our sights and sharpen our tools ... to work hard and work smart ... to recognize that our only limitations are those that we place upon ourselves."***

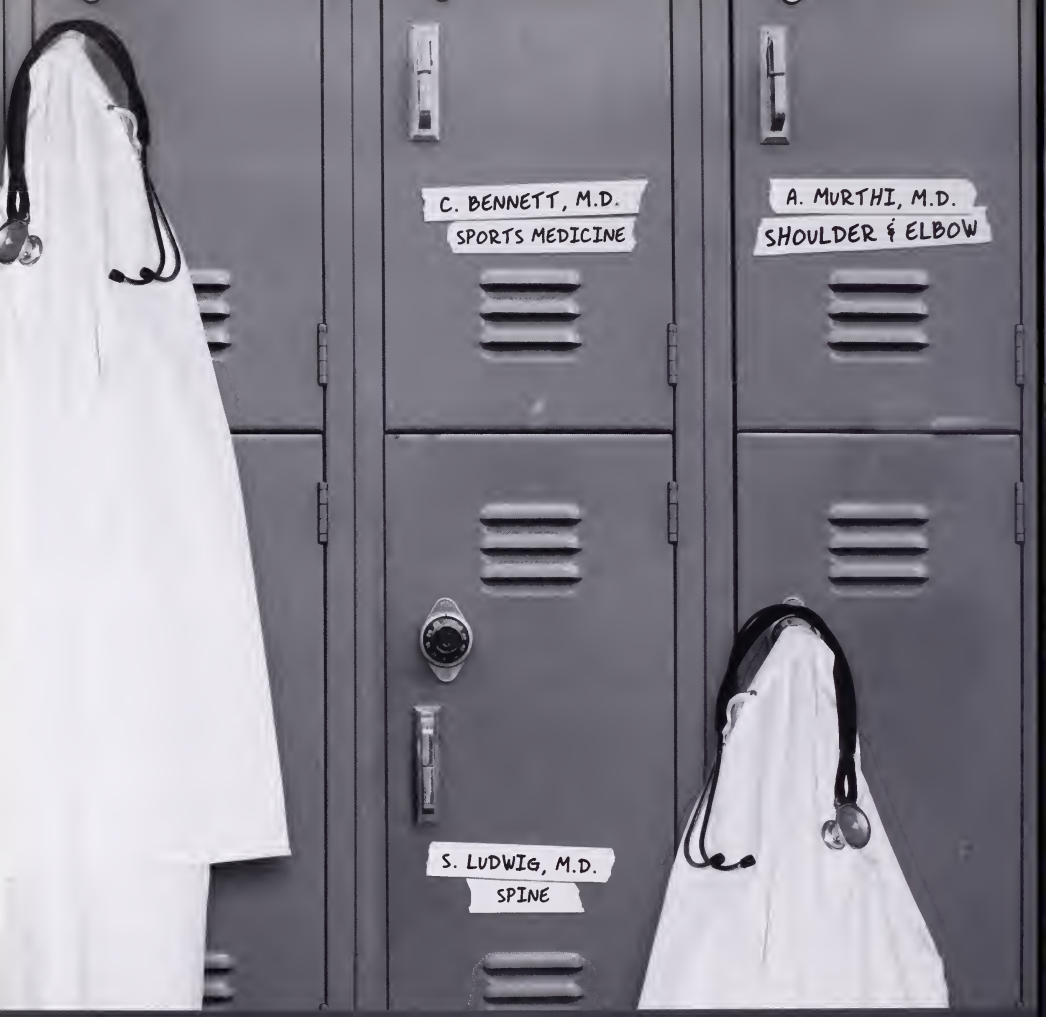
As a manager and a leader, she clearly models these principles. She is the only known current AD in NCAA Division I who has hired both the National Coach of the Year in football (while at Maryland) and the National Coach of the Year in men's basketball (while at Saint Louis University). In 2002, she also brought to the University of Maryland Brenda Frese, who at that time was the National Coach of the Year in women's basketball. Four years later, Frese led the Terrapins to the NCAA National Championship at the Women's Final Four in Boston.

Dr. Yow is known as "a coach's A.D.," while also being highly organized and a strategic and proactive leader and administrator. Quite simply, Debbie Yow personifies the relational and management dynamics that are necessary to be an excellent administrator and leader.

A successful former basketball coach, she moved into athletics administration at the University of Florida and the University of North Carolina, Greensboro, followed by a successful tenure as A.D. at Saint Louis University.

She has authored numerous articles and books on athletics management and human behavior, and is a respected leader in intercollegiate athletics in the United States. She holds a bachelor's degree from Elon University, a masters degree from Liberty University and a doctorate *(honorus causa)* from the U.S. Sports Academy and an honorary doctorate for career achievement from Elon University.

Summing up the entire Maryland athletics program, our athletics director recently stated, "We have the finest student-athletes, coaches, support staff and administrative team in America. It is because of their courage, hard work and cooperative spirit that we now have a strong, viable athletic program. I am immensely proud of each of them. I am equally proud of our Terrapin fans who buy tickets, our Terrapin Club members who faithfully support the Maryland athletic program with their donations for scholarships, and the M Club members who serve and give liberally. We are also blessed with a terrific President, Dr. Dan Mote, who has fostered a mindset of excellence across our institution. He is a strong and balanced advocate for what he calls 'the three A's of the University -- Academics, the Arts and Athletics'. We have a great Terrapin family. That's the foundation for all of our success ... and the basis for our bright future. It's a great time to be a Terp."



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ACADEMIC SUPPORT AND CAREER DEVELOPMENT

The University of Maryland is committed to providing the highest quality education to all of its students. The Department of Intercollegiate Athletics strives to provide student-athletes excellent opportunities to participate in an intercollegiate athletics program of the highest quality, with the result that their athletics participation becomes an integral and valued component of their total educational experience at the university.

Terrapin student-athletes will find that the same hard work and discipline that has earned them success in athletics competition is also required in the classroom. Balancing the significant time demands and responsibilities required to be a successful student-athlete at the highest collegiate level is no small task. Therefore, as a result of their commitment to representing the university through athletics, Terrapin student-athletes are able to utilize support programs designed to meet their specific needs.

Led by associate athletics director Anton Goff, the mission of the Academic Support and Career Development Unit (ASCDU) is to provide quality developmental programs and need-based services that will enhance academic progress, facilitate career development, and encourage the psychosocial growth of all UM student-athletes. **Krista Chmielewski** works with the Maryland water polo team.

The Gossett Academic Support and Career Development Center for Terrapin student-athletes, named for long-time Terp supporters Barry and Mary Gossett, is located in the Comcast Center. It features a study center that includes 25 desktop computers, a tutoring center, a classroom, a CHAMPS/Life Skills resource room and individual offices for professional academic counselors, a director of enrichment programs, an assistant program coordinator and a graduate assistant. In addition, a new academic wing was added to the Gossett football team house recently. It features offices for two counselors, a program coordinator and three learning specialists; as well as a quiet study area, 29-desk computer lab, classroom, tutor rooms and classroom/lab for the individualized learning program.

Academic courses, programs and services offered by ASCDU include the following:

- Student-athlete orientation
- Academic counseling
- NCAA academic eligibility monitoring
- Academic enrichment and career development presentations and workshops
- Accredited tutorial support
- Individualized learning program
- EDCP 108-K (College learning strategies and skills)
- EDCP 108-M (Math learning strategies and skills)
- UNIV 100 (First-year transitions to the university)

MARYLAND GAMEPLAN

The Maryland Gameplan is intended to assist graduating Terrapin student-athletes as they begin the job search process. It is distributed to more than 500 corporations and businesses across the country, in addition to being featured on the M Club website. Prospective employers are introduced to our graduating student-athletes with resume information relative to academic, career and personal achievements. The Maryland Gameplan directory is produced annually in collaboration with the M Club.

CAREER NETWORKING NIGHT

Because career development is an ongoing process, ASCDU provides a variety of programs for student-athletes throughout the year. Professional assistance with resume- writing, interviewing skills, graduate school search and job search is readily available to all student-athletes. During the spring semester ASCDU hosts the Career Networking Night, where student-athletes can learn about career interests and career planning. Unlike typical "job fairs," the purpose of this program is to allow student-athletes to explore multiple career opportunities by speaking directly to individuals in their chosen areas of interest. Employers at the Career Networking Night recognize the marketable qualities student-athletes have gained through athletic participation. Student-athletes learn about opportunities for internships and full-time jobs.

STUDENT-ATHLETE ADVISORY COMMITTEE

The Student-Athlete Advisory Committee (S.A.A.C.) plays an important role in the Department of Intercollegiate Athletics. It consists of two representatives from each varsity sport and meets on a regular basis with representatives from the athletic administration. The S.A.A.C. mission is to enhance the total student-athlete experience by developing leadership skills, promoting student-athlete welfare and fostering a positive student-athlete image on the Maryland campus, local area and nationally.

CHAMPS/LIFE SKILLS PROGRAMS

ASCDU houses the NCAA's (National Collegiate Athletic Association) CHAMPS/Life Skills Program. The ASCDU staff, in collaboration with various other Department of Intercollegiate Athletics' units and campus resources, strives to provide a systematic personal development program designed to reach each student-athlete based on his or her individual needs. The focus of the program is on the individual academically, athletically and emotionally, and on the changing needs and skills of that individual in the years during college and after graduation. The menu of presentations, workshops and seminars is a comprehensive and balanced system of "life learning" programs promoted for use by each varsity sport team.

Highlights of the CHAMPS/Life Skills Programs:

- Support efforts of every student-athlete toward intellectual development and graduation
- Use athletics as preparation for success in life
- Meet the changing needs of student-athletes
- Promote respect for diversity among student-athletes
- Enhance interpersonal relationships in the lives of student-athletes
- Assist student-athletes in building positive self-esteem
- Enable student-athletes to make meaningful contributions to their communities
- Promote ownership by the student-athletes of their academic, athletic, personal and social responsibilities
- Enhance partnerships between the NCAA, member institutions and their communities for the purpose of education
- Encourage the development of leadership skills

CHAMPS/LIFE SKILLS PROGRAMS COMMITMENT STATEMENTS

Commitment to Academic Excellence

To support the academic progress of the student-athlete toward intellectual development and graduation.

Commitment to Athletic Excellence

To build philosophical foundations for the development of athletic programs that are broad-based, equitable and dedicated to the well-being of the student-athlete.

Commitment to Personal Development

To support the development of a well-balanced lifestyle for student-athletes, encouraging emotional well-being, personal growth and decision-making skills.

Commitment to Career Development

To encourage the student-athlete to develop and pursue career and life goals.

Commitment to Service

To engage student-athletes in service to his/her campus and surrounding communities.

ACADEMIC SUPPORT FOR RETURNING ATHLETES PROGRAM

The Academic Support for Returning Athletes Program was created in 1986 to support the academic efforts of former varsity student-athletes at the University of Maryland, College Park. In 1989, ASRAP was assigned by the President's Office to the Academic Achievements Program and enrolled 40 students that year. As a member of the National Consortium for Academics and Sports (NCAS), the University of Maryland is committed to assisting its former athletes with degree completion. A key component of the program is community outreach. Each returning student completes a "workship" that allows the cost of tuition and fees to be exchanged for community services with youth. In 2002, ASRAP moved into the ASCDU.

MEDIA INFORMATION

MEDIA GUIDELINES

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Services: The Media Relations Office will provide complete statistics at the conclusion of every home meet. Programs containing rosters and event notes on each team will be provided for the working media.

Fax Machine: The Media Relations Office has one facsimile machine, located in Room 2725 of Comcast Center, which is available upon request. The fax number is (301) 314-9094.

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WATER POLO SUPERVISOR

RYAN BOWLES

ASSISTANT ATHLETICS DIRECTOR

Ryan Bowles was promoted in the summer of 2006 to serve as Maryland's assistant athletics director for administration and championships. He will have the responsibility for all NCAA and Atlantic Coast Conference championship events hosted by Maryland and will serve as the sport supervisor for men's golf, women's golf and water polo.

He will also serve as the liaison for campus and conference sportsmanship issues and will be the liaison to the Athletics Council, a group of faculty, staff and students which reports to the President's Office on matters regarding intercollegiate athletics at Maryland.

Bowles has been on the athletics staff since August 2003, beginning as an intern and working his way to his current position.

Prior to coming to Maryland, he was the Asa S. Bushnell Intern for Championships at the Eastern College Athletic Conference in Massachusetts. There he was also involved in event management and was the liaison for a number of championship committees.

Bowles holds bachelors and masters degrees from McDaniel College in Westminster, where he was a four-time letterwinner for the men's soccer team.

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Day	Date	Opponent	Location	Time
Sat.	Feb. 7	at Triton Invitational	San Diego, Calif.	TBA
Sat.	Feb. 7	at Triton Invitational	San Diego, Calif.	All Day
Sun.	Feb. 8	at Triton Invitational	San Diego, Calif.	All Day
Sat.	**Feb. 14**	**PRINCETON**	**COLLEGE PARK, MD.**	**1:30 p.m.**
Sun.	**Feb. 15**	**BUCKNELL**	**COLLEGE PARK, MD.**	**6 p.m.**
Sat.	Feb. 21	vs. Brown	Princeton, N.J.	12:30 p.m.
		vs. Villanova		4:15 p.m.
Sun.	Feb. 22	vs. Wagner	Princeton, N.J.	Noon
		vs. Marist		4:15 p.m.
Thu.	Feb. 26	at George Washington*	Washington, D.C.	7:00 p.m.
Sat.	Feb. 28	at Elite Six Tournament	Lewisburg, Pa.	All Day
Sun.	Mar. 1	at Elite Six Tournament	Lewisburg, Pa.	All Day
Sat.	Mar. 14	at UC Davis	Davis, Calif.	2 p.m.
		at California	Berkeley, Calif.	7 p.m.
Sun.	Mar. 15	at Santa Clara	Santa Clara, Calif.	7 p.m.
Tue.	Mar. 17	at CSU Monterey Bay	Monterey, Calif.	TBA
		vs. Sonoma State		TBA
Sat.	Mar. 28	at Fluid 4	Bloomington, Ind.	TBA
Sun.	Mar. 29	at Fluid 4	Bloomington, Ind.	TBA
Wed.	**Apr. 1**	**GEORGE WASHINGTON***	**COLLEGE PARK, MD.**	**7 p.m.**
Sat.	Apr. 4	at Bucknell*	Lewisburg, Pa.	6 p.m.
Sun.	Apr. 5	at Princeton*	Princeton, N.J.	1 p.m.
Sat.	**Apr. 18**	**CWPA Southern Division Championship**	**COLLEGE PARK, MD.**	**All Day**
Fri.	Apr. 24	at CWPA Eastern Championship	Boston, Mass.	All Day
Sat.	Apr. 25	at CWPA Eastern Championship	Boston, Mass.	All Day
Sun.	Apr. 26	at CWPA Eastern Championship	Boston, Mass.	All Day
Fri.	**May 8**	**NCAA NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS**	**COLLEGE PARK, MD.**	**All Day**
Sat.	**May 9**	**NCAA NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS**	**COLLEGE PARK, MD.**	**All Day**
Sun.	**May 10**	**NCAA NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS**	**COLLEGE PARK, MD.**	**All Day**

* - indicates CWPA Southern Division opponents;
BOLD CAPS indicates home meets at Eppley Recreation Center Natatorium;
All times Eastern

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